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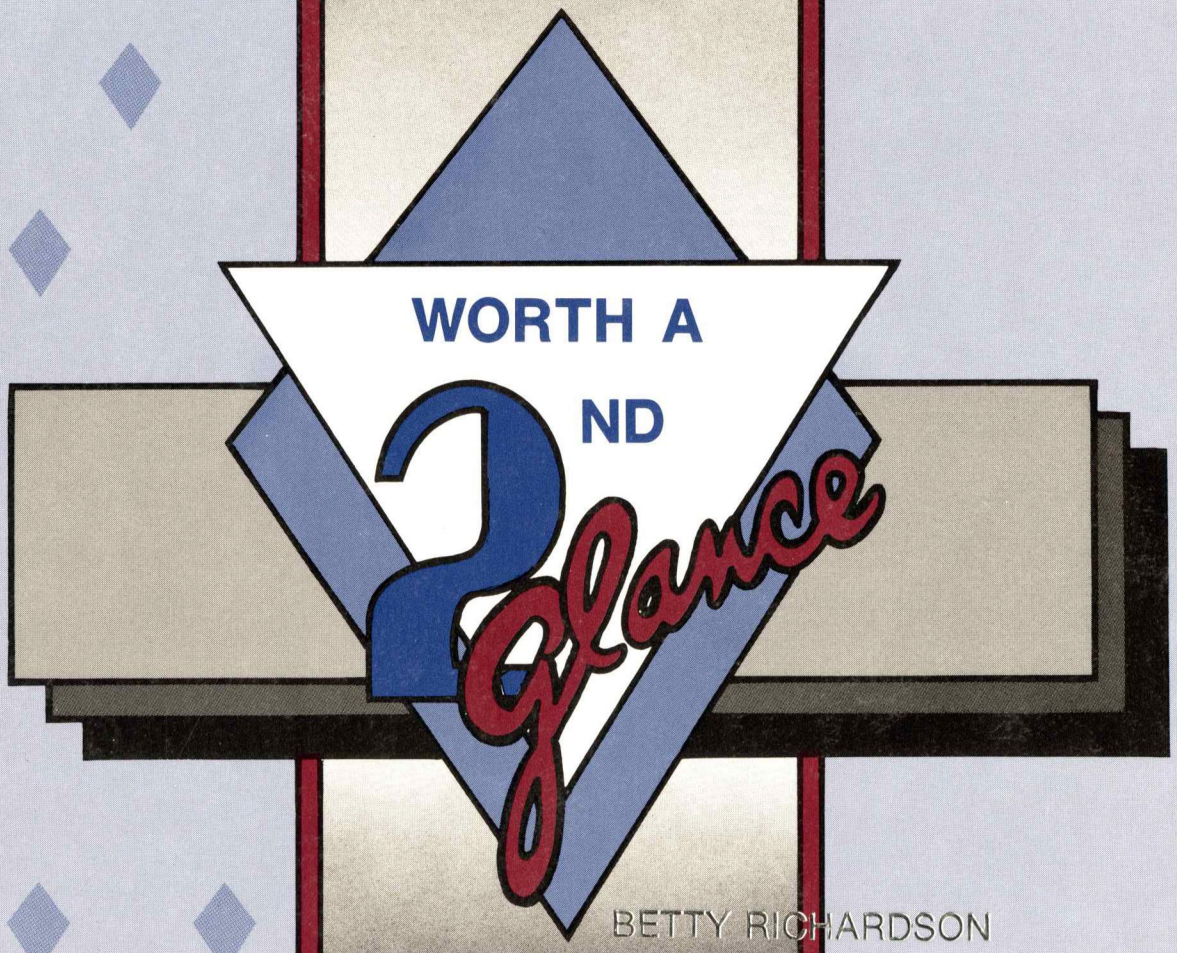

BETTY RICHARDSON

Ms. Richardson,

I don't know what to say in your annual either, but here goes! There were so many times when I wasn't sure how we were going to get everything done, but with a great amount of help from you it did. I know this year has been really hard on you, and I honestly prayed for you! God is always there in these times when no one else is. I hope that I was able to comfort you when ~~I was sorry to hear about it~~ you needed it. I really admire your ability to hold up and load ton's of weight! This year has been real Special in 5th & on Monday's! Even the Saturdays & after school! I hope that you will continue to do all you can on this annual as you have before because it turned out very good! I'll be back to see next year's (annual)! Emmy (my buddy) & Wade, and you all!

God Bless You & keep you

Holly Hardin

P.S. If happen to find a rich man see if he has a son that is 21 or under (until 18 of course)! HA!

Ms. Richardson,

This year is almost gone and then I'm off to Vandalia, I really don't know if I'll even be back in Mona Point, but even if I don't come back, (much to my surprise) I will miss this high school. I have alot of good memories, especially of Monday nights and all the long hours of hard work we put into our annual. I will miss your cheerful library aide and 1st period and Monday nights.

Love,
Sarah Letton

c/o '91

To Ms. Richardson,

This year has been one of the best years that I've ever had and you are one of the nicest persons that I have ever met. I enjoyed being an aide in your library.

Best Wishes,
Robert Williams

P.S. I will miss you but not the books! "☺"

To Ms. Richardson,

One of the nicest librarians I have ever known. Thanks for being so nice and understanding.

This year is almost over, but I'm glad I got to know you when I did.

Love,
Dalery Holmes

c/o '90

See ya next year, [redacted] (Hopefully!)

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Mrs. Auwilda Polk looks on as Dr. Hines Cronin cuts the ribbon in celebration of the opening of our newly renovated school. Students and staff cheered as the ribbon was cut.

Moss Point High School students, thrilled with returning to their "new" high school, arrive in the form of a parade.

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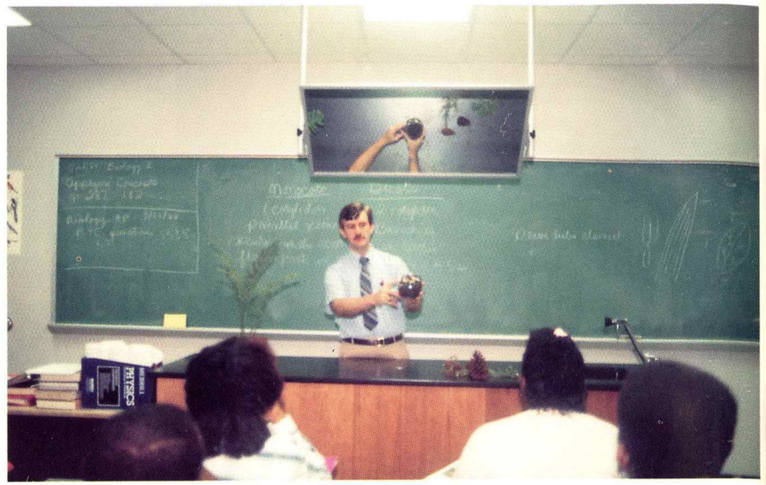
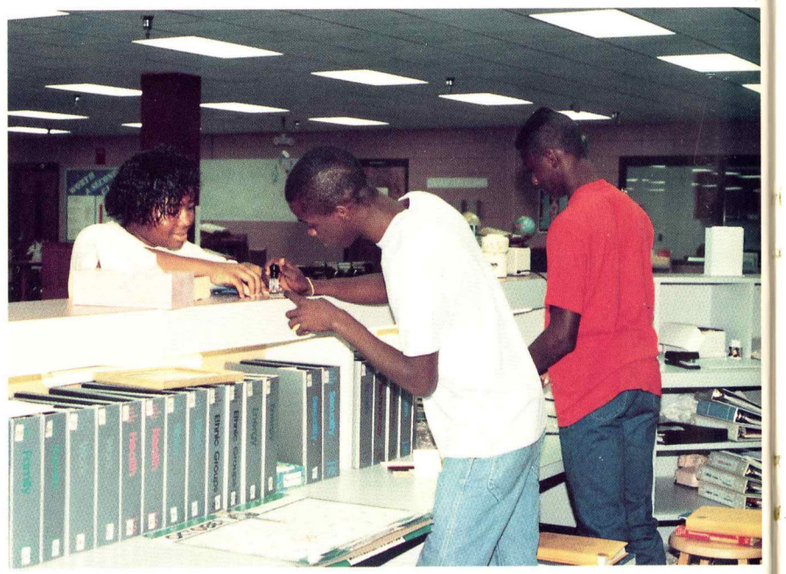


Mr. Clarence Robinson, chairman of the science department, finds that the demonstration mirrors really help during presentations.

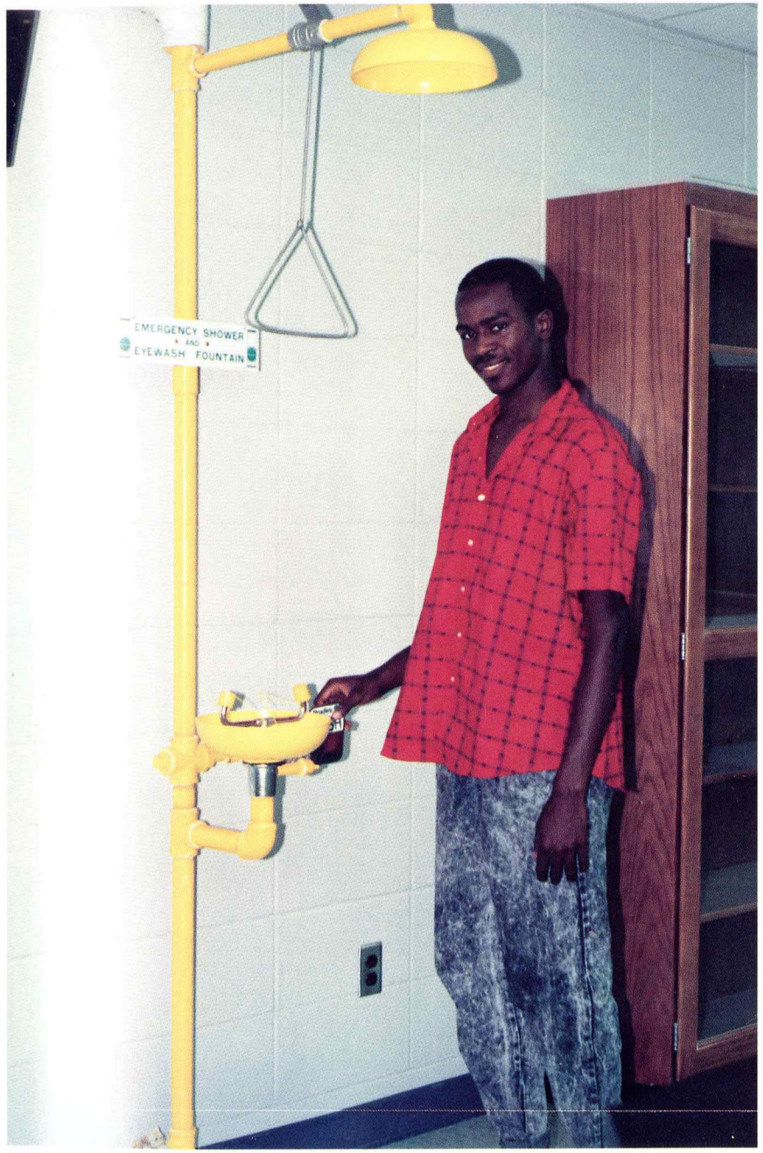
Sherita Moore checks out a book at the new media center circulation desk with Larry Alexander and Jerome Davis assisting.



Mrs. Frankie May operates the new elevator for handicapped students. Getting to the second floor is no longer a problem.

Students enjoy the new commons area during class changes and at lunch. It really helps during class changes on rainy days.

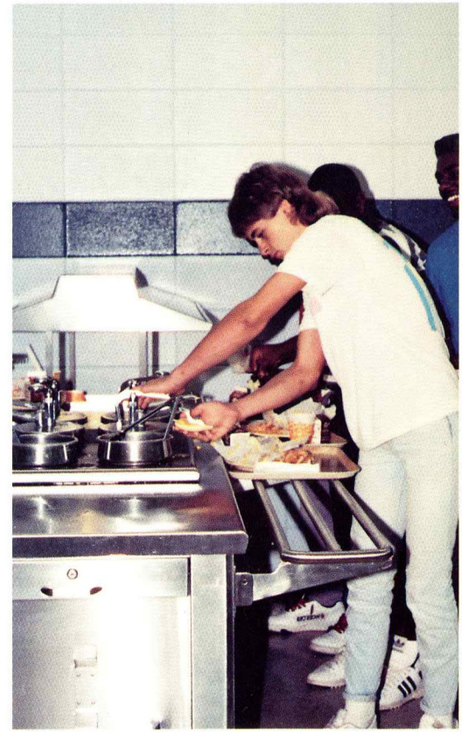
Let's take a glance at the beginning



Miguel Osgood checks out the emergency eyewash fountain in the new science complex. This is just one of the many new special features in the chemistry lab.

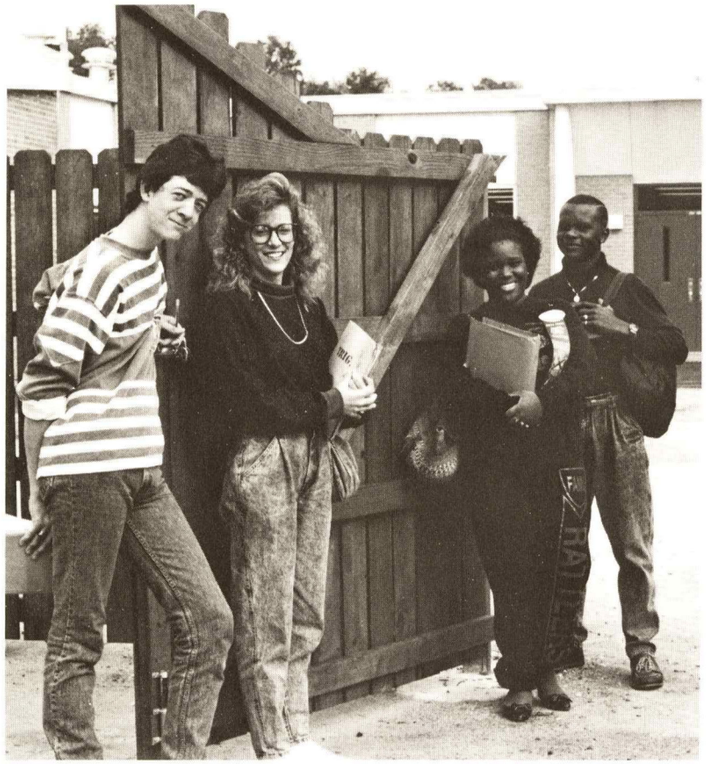
Leon Dewberry likes being able to serve himself at the new hamburger dressing area in the newly renovated cafeteria.

It was a "Million Dollar" celebration at MPHS this year. Finally all of the bond issue work was complete at our school. All of the noise and detours we dealt with had paid off. Wall to wall changes had been made-new everything! This included classrooms, science complex, media center, paint, carpet, air condition, and an enlarged cafeteria. All of the changes were definitely ***WORTH A SECOND GLANCE!***



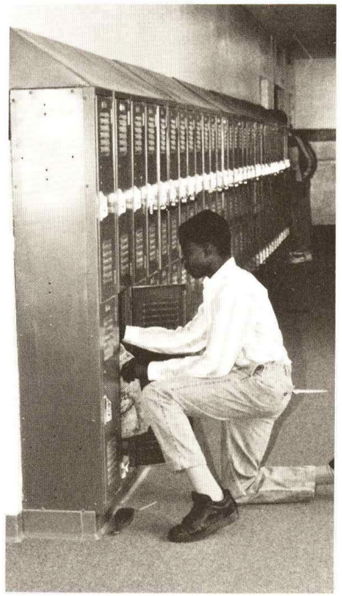
We took out the old . . . and brought in the new

New buildings, renovated areas, and air-conditioning all helped in bringing about a new attitude at MPHS. It felt good to be a student here. Pride was very much alive. Other changes noticed were several new teachers, rule changes, a new peer counseling group, and the Beacons. The bond issue not only gave us better facilities, it also gave us a renewed spirit.



Jeff Johnson, Allyson Arnold, Jan Carter, and Thedford Sylvester stand at the new gate leading to a new gathering area.

Some new improvements were carpet, a new paint job, and over-hauled lockers. William Beard checks his locker out.



Mrs. Lisa Moorer is a new English teacher; however, many of us remember her from when she did her student teaching here two years ago.

Mrs. Sherwin Taylor's second period senior English class enjoys research in the new media center.

Mrs. Shepherd's classes used the new computer lab when it was time to write letters on the word processor.

Kelly Rogers smiles while waiting for the cafeteria ladies to serve her tray.

Natasha Nettles and Krystal Davison really think the new hamburger line in the cafeteria is the best.

Scott Sanders enjoys a cool drink of water at the new ice/water machine in the cafeteria.

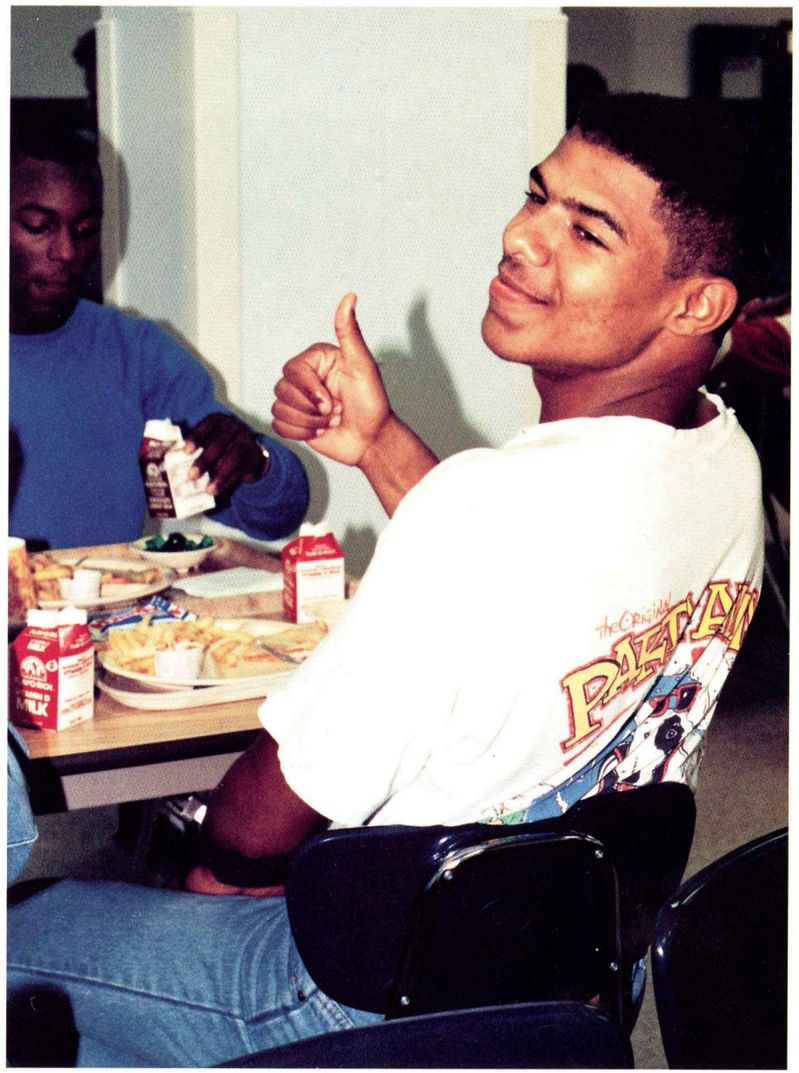
Keena Sims and Mondolyn Hurd enjoy M&Ms during their lunch break.

Brandi Parker, still "Brown Bags" it. Peanut butter and jelly is her choice for lunch.

Syrone McBeath gives the "thumbs up" sign when asked what he thinks about lunch in the new cafeteria.

The lunch bunch had a new place to munch

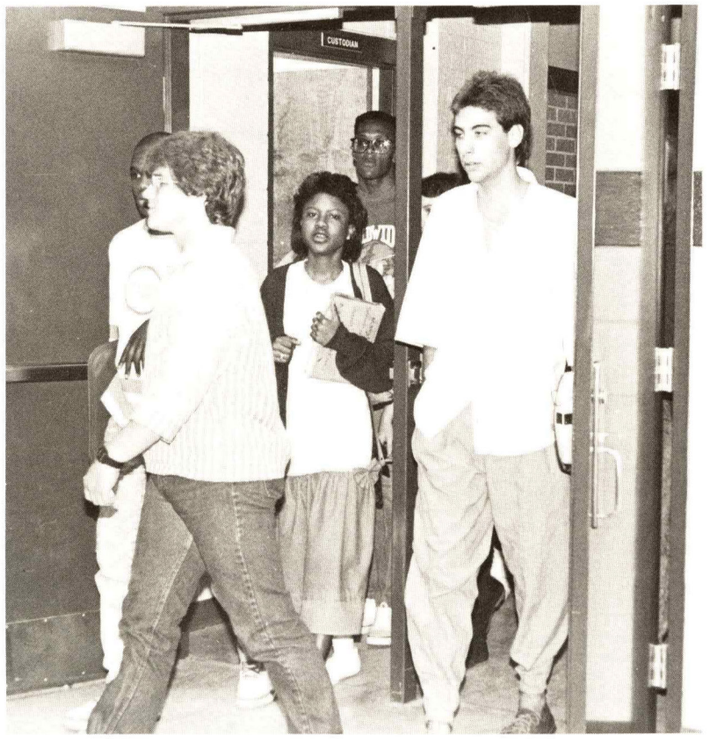
There was a new place to "munch" this year with the completion of the renovated cafeteria. Serving lines increased to five which included hamburgers, pizza, chicken/fish, soup/salad, and the regular menu. A few students still "Brown Bagged" it and some did not eat at all, but the spacious air-conditioned cafeteria attracted the majority.



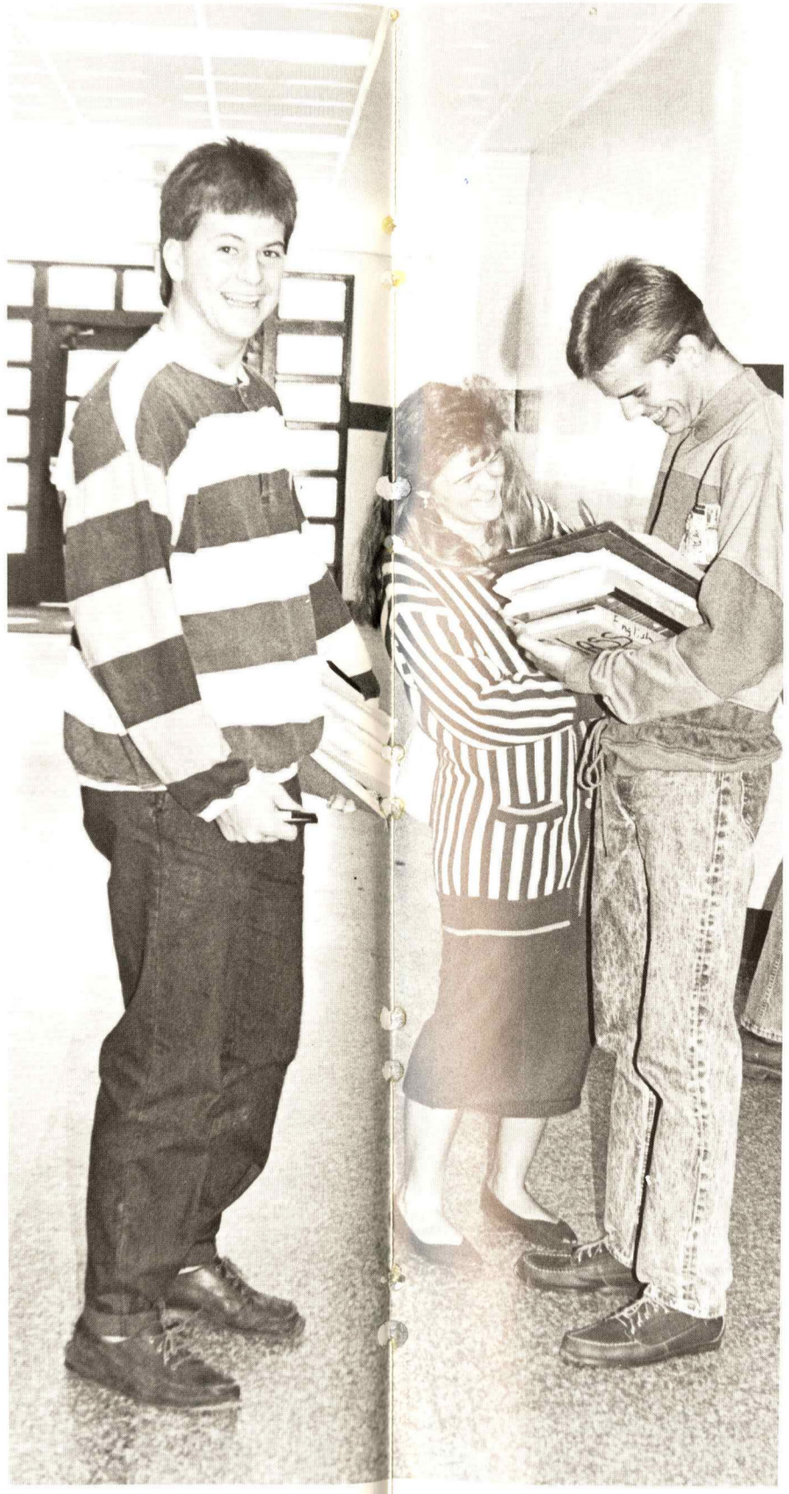
It's a race that no one wins

Getting from class to class in 6 minutes became a real challenge. So many changes had been made on our campus. Certain halls had grown too small if that was possible. Tardies and Sat. detentions made it a race no one won.

The commons area allowed us to stay out of the rain, but sometimes slowed us down when we ran into friends!

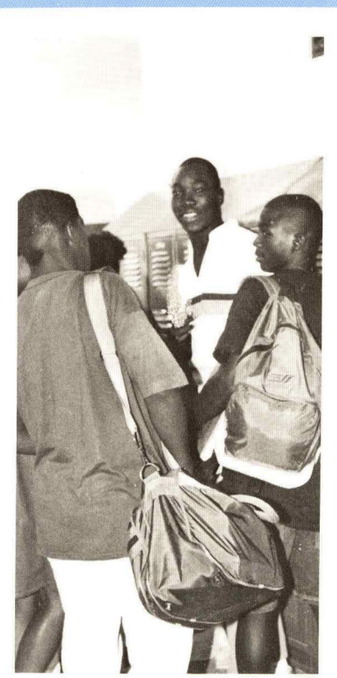


It seems everyone has a class every hour in the annex. Narrow halls and lots of bodies made not being tardy a challenge!



Lewis Sims, Ginger Copeland, and Jason Green find time between classes to examine senior portrait proofs. Are they amusing?

Crowded areas, especially in the commons and annex, really cut into our six minute rush to class.



Sometimes visits at the locker to talk to friends cut into the time allowed to change classes.

Marcye Robbins takes out a few minutes between classes to use her locker.

Trina Harris and Donna Lett show off the cake they are presenting to the football team on behalf of the Senior class.

Lisa Holyfield leads the student body in the "Big Word" spirit contest during a pep rally.

Sean Gasaway and Brad Bertram really show their spirit at the McDonalds Pep Rally the night before Homecoming.

It's a sound off

The Tiger football team is introduced during pep rallies. Look at those "winning" smiles.

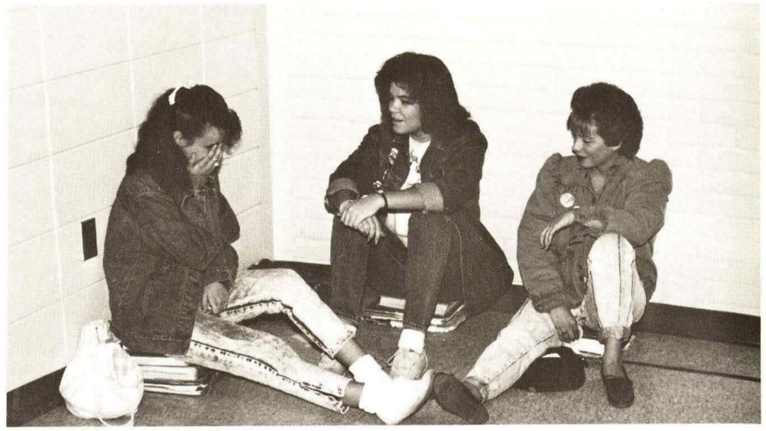
Give me a T
Give me an I
Give me a G
Give me an E
Give me an R
Give me an S
What does that spell?
TIGERS!!!

Does that sound familiar? Of course it does. Each day of the games, students and faculty would cheer on the Tigers in a spirited pep rally. It was important to back the hard-working football players with yells and screams. These pep rallies encouraged the athletes and also steered the fans to the games.

The Junior Class goes all out to win the spirit contest each week during the pep rallies.

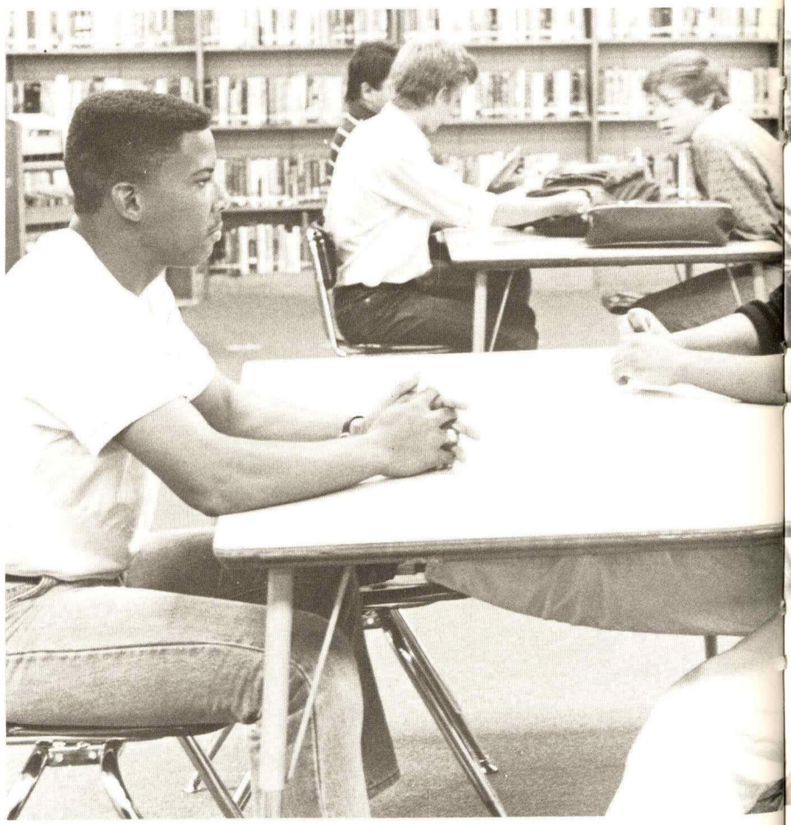
Best friends . . . Everybody had one

If you didn't have one, you found one. If you had one you made sure you kept them. Best friends were those special people we shared our secrets, our lunch, our spare time and even our class notes with. Friendships made at Moss Point High were special because we knew they would last forever.

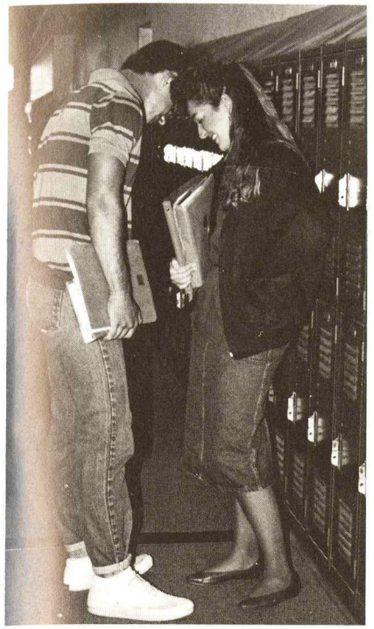


School books serve another purpose as friends Joy Brown, Stephanie Kellum and Stacy Simpson visit during lunch.

Angie Seaman and Tracy Deihl share a laugh between classes. What are friends for — to lean on!!!



The library was a meeting place for many friends. Eric Kline, Eric Trotter and Juan Packer visit there during lunch.



Amy May and Jerry Cooksey talk about something amusing between classes.

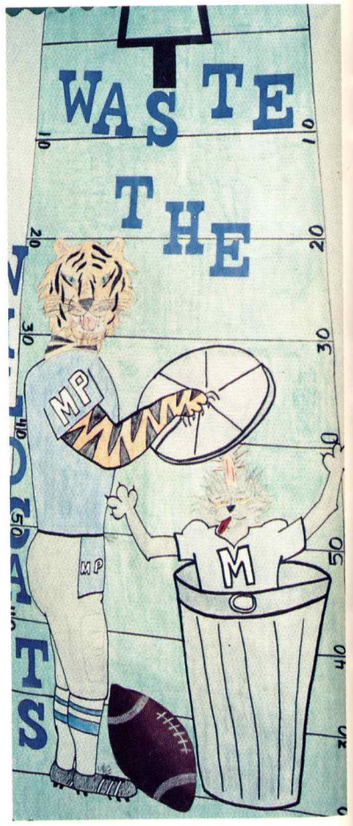
Keith Nathan seems to be enjoying some time with friends in the commons.

Friends could always be found hanging out together during lunch.

1988 Homecoming Court
Senior Maids:
Candace Slaughter
Stacy Broughton
Dionne Applewhite
Faleshia Betts
Donna Lett
Buffie Tillman
CaTrina Walker
Junior Maids:
Pamela Pickett
Joy Trusler
Tyesha Walker
Kathleen Dunn
Angela Chatman
Princess Williams
Sophomore Maids:
Erica Downs
Amy Dunn
Monida Hurst
Jennifer Browning
Shaunda McBeath
Alicia Lett

Kevin Boler, dressed as a matador, rides on the Spanish truck during the Homecoming parade.

The guidance office wins first place in the door decoration contest during the week of Homecoming.



It's one of those wild and restless times

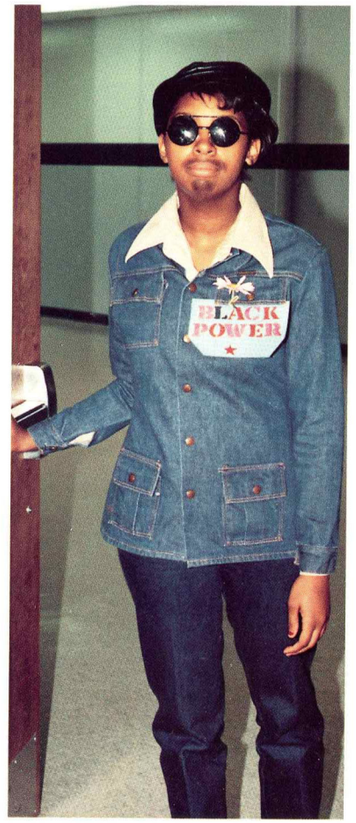
One could tell it was Homecoming week at MPHS. There was a definite restlessness in the air. It was difficult to study and concentrate in class when you were wondering who would be your date at the Homecoming game and who the lucky queen would be.

Floats were made, doors were decorated, every day was a dress-up day and the Tiger team had Meridian on their minds.

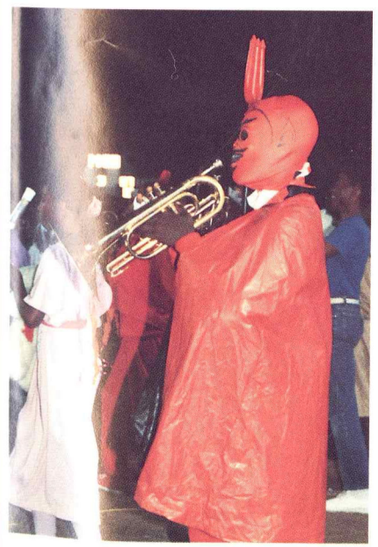
The McDonalds pep rally and the parade led us right up to the kick-off Friday evening. The court was presented and the radiant Donna Lett was crowned queen.

At half-time the band entertained with both music and costumes. Even though we lost the game in the last 5 seconds, it was a week to remember.

Moss Point's offensive line prepares for the snap. Miguel Osgood, (10), calls the play.



Dominique McArthur is one of the winners of the 70's dress-up day during homecoming week.



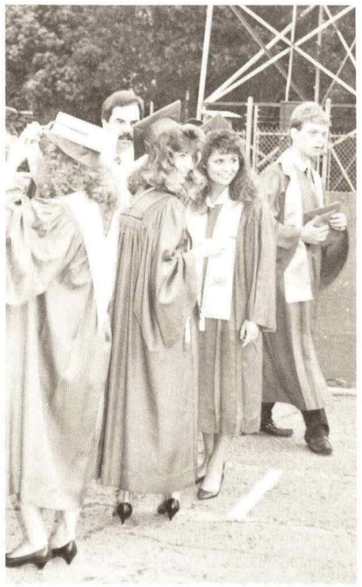
"You little Devil." The band, dressed in their Halloween finest, performed during Homecoming half-time.

Homecoming Queen, Donna Lett, smiles radiantly after her coronation.

Let's take a glance back

Good times are worth remembering. By glancing back at the close of last school year, we can remember how much fun the Jr.-Sr. Prom was and how exciting the Srs. were graduation night. A Hawaiian theme, delicious food, the elegant LaFont, and "our" Tony Seawright made the prom a huge success. Once again the Jr. class pulled off a "class" act! We won't forget our classmates with memories such as these tucked away.

A glance back was fun.

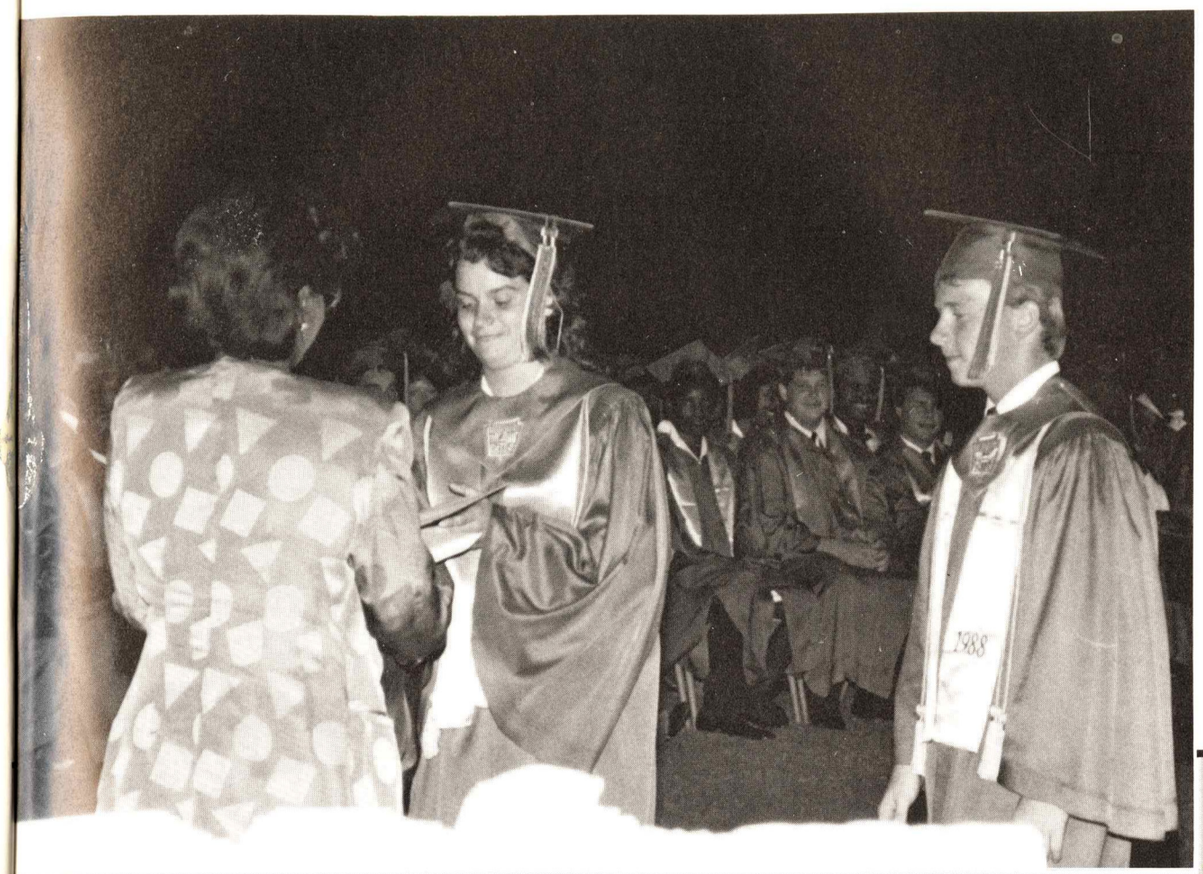


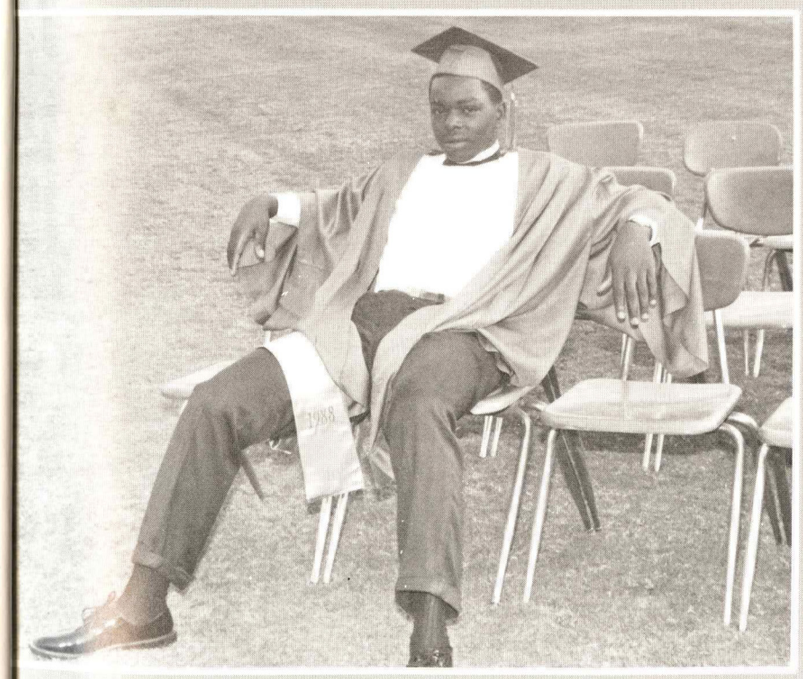
The line-up at graduation takes forever but the outcome is worth the wait. Mr. Peresich helps seniors find their places.

Graduation was a fun night for all. Twila Andrews, Tameka Bridges and Mae Brown have a good reason to smile.

Toni Seawright, Miss Mississippi, has a special hug for senior, David Hill. Toni sang at the prom.

Tracy Smith receives her diploma from Mrs. Auwilda Polk. Mike Cronin is next in line.





Reginald Murphy says it all. "Oh what a relief it is to have graduation over — now for the fun!!

Jason Green and Helena Ericksson are all smiles prom night at the LaFont.

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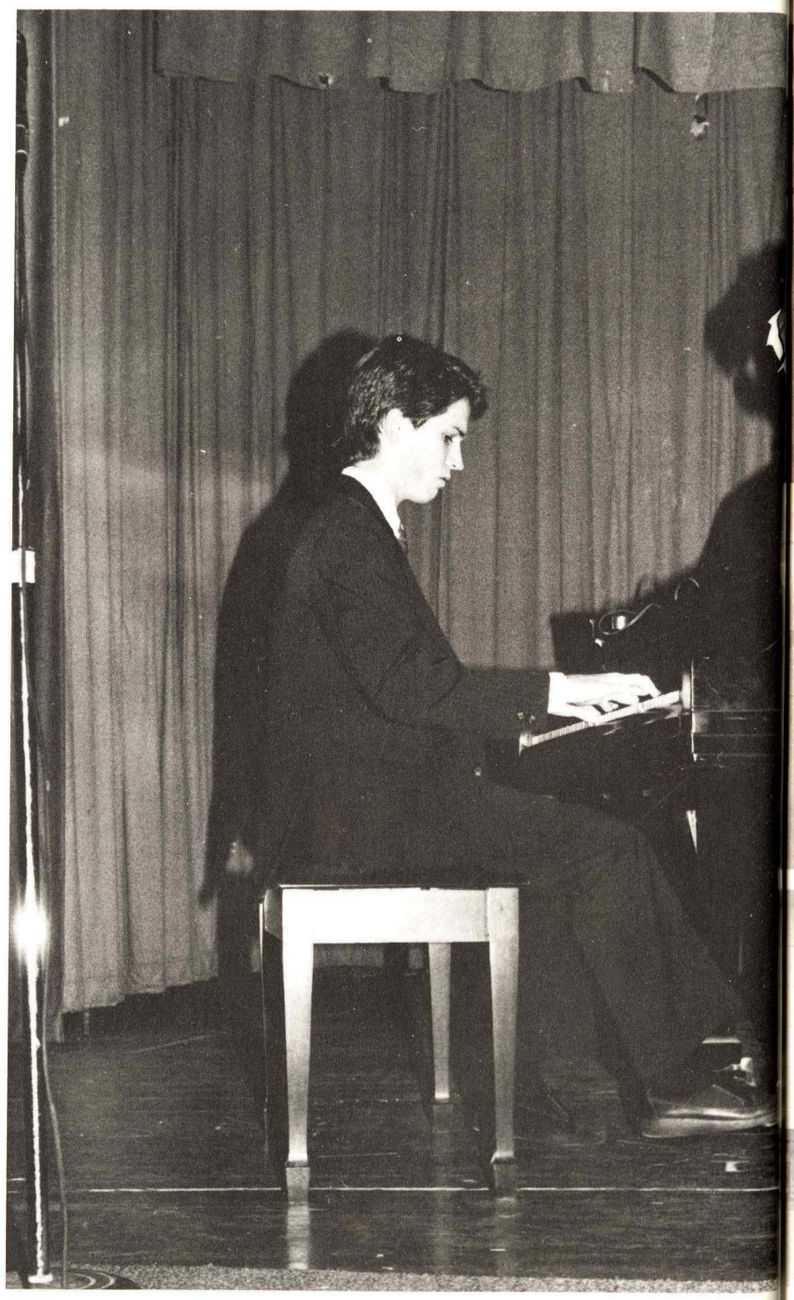
That's why we were here - lest we forget. Teachers worked hard to make classes interesting. Clubs were organized that went hand in hand with the academic subjects. A new program - Tiger Tales Cafe - connected with the Foods and Nutrition classes was really popular this year. Organization activities and competitions gave students a chance to be involved.

LaTreena Martin decorates the Christmas tree that the FBLA sponsored to give to a needy family.



Ricky Hightower plays a selection on the piano at the Christmas choir concert.

Academics

The Hero child care class is showing off the cake they had made for Christmas.

Gary Dale plays his saxophone solo.

Kristi Turner sings a solo.

Holly Hulbert, Chandra Harrell, and Robyn May goof-off at annual.

MADRIGAL SINGERS

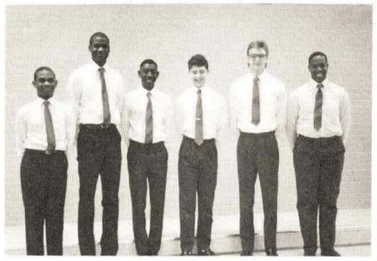
Elecia Chestang
Linda Glaude
Felisha Hinton
Kristi Turner
Susan Pigott
Trena Wigley
Paula Diaz
Curtis Graves
Samantha Hagameister
Belinda Ballard
Jennifer Cronier
Brett Cronier
Andre Debose
Doug Wilkerson
Jimmy Cox
Emmeett Holder

QUARTET & ALTERNATES

Jimmy Cox
Curtis Graves
Jeff Brewer
Brett Cronier
Doug Wilkerson
Andre Debose
Emmeett Holder

SEXTET

Trena Wigley, NP
Kristi Turner
Susan Pigott
Shelley Britt
Jennifer Cronier
Sharon Cooper



"The show choir is very dedicated and works hard yearround."
— Ms. Susan Kramer

SHOW CHOIR: Ann Birden, Elecia Chestang, Linda Glaude, Mary Smith, Sonja Coleman, Regina Daugherty, Laura Grissom, Stephanie Kellum, Kristi Turner, Susan Pigott, Vivecia Ward, Amy Bonnett, Angie Bonnett, Samantha Hagameister, Belinda Ballard, Shari Boler, Shelley Br Amy carr, Alfie James, Shaunda McBea Jennifer Cronier, Brett Cronier, Andre bose, Elijah Henry, Jeffery Brewer, Jan Bryant, Curtis Graves, Richard Henry, E meett Holder.

Can't Stop The Music

Ms. Kramer conducted five choirs throughout the year - Concert Choir, Madrigals, Show Choir, a sextet, and a quartet. The rehearsals were extreme, and the guidelines were strict in order to build more developed choirs. Practice would be nothing without competition and there certainly was no shortage of that. The choirs competed in the Gulf Coast Choral Festival, District and Regional Contest, State Show Choir Contest, and the Loyola University Choir Contest. The choirs also held formal concerts during the year that included Christmas By The River. They also presented a Christmas and spring concert. Although the choir performed for numerous Christmas parties and different community organizations, nothing meant more than the special feeling of singing for friends and family.

Concert Choir: Bridgett Abston, Ann Birden, Elcia Chestang, Nicole Collier, Cheryl Cunningham, Linda Glaude, Felisha Hinton, Amy Horton, Dalina Oliver, Shaunda Robinson, Mary Smith, Kathryn Taylor, Yolanda Thompson, Traci Thornton, Sonja Coleman, Regina Daugherty, Laura Grissom, Stephanie Kellum, Donna Hamm, Sabrina Mosely, Kristi Turner, Susan Pigott, Vivecia Ward, Trena Wigley, Jackie Chatell, Kathy Guess, Brett Cronier, Andre Debose, Elijah Henry, Anthony Proctor, Doug Wilkerson, Sterlin Smith, Amy Bonnett, Angie Bonnett, Amelia Bright, Paula Diaz, Samantha Hagameister, Kim Hall, Arkela Hoskins, Donna Lett, Syvella Talley, Cassandra Wiggins, Tawanda Hyde, Belinda Ballard, Shari Boler, Shelley Britt, Amy Carr, Alfie James, Shaunda McBeath, Tonya Smith, Jennifer Cronier, Jeffery Brewer, James Bryant, Jimmy Cox, Curtis Graves, Richard Henry, Emmeett, Holder, Donnie Dodd.

Holly Hulbert accompanies the choir with the flute during the annual concert at MPHS.

Samantha Hagameister and Shelly Britt wait patiently to perform with the show choir.

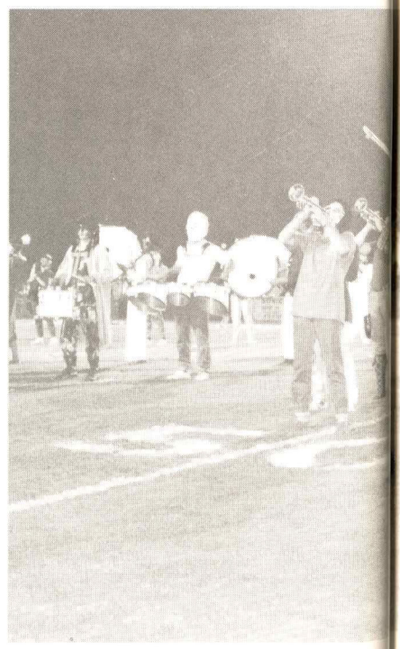
That's Entertainment . . . It's In Your Face

Led by drum majors Candice Slaughter and Kim Nichols, the Tiger Band takes the field with pride.

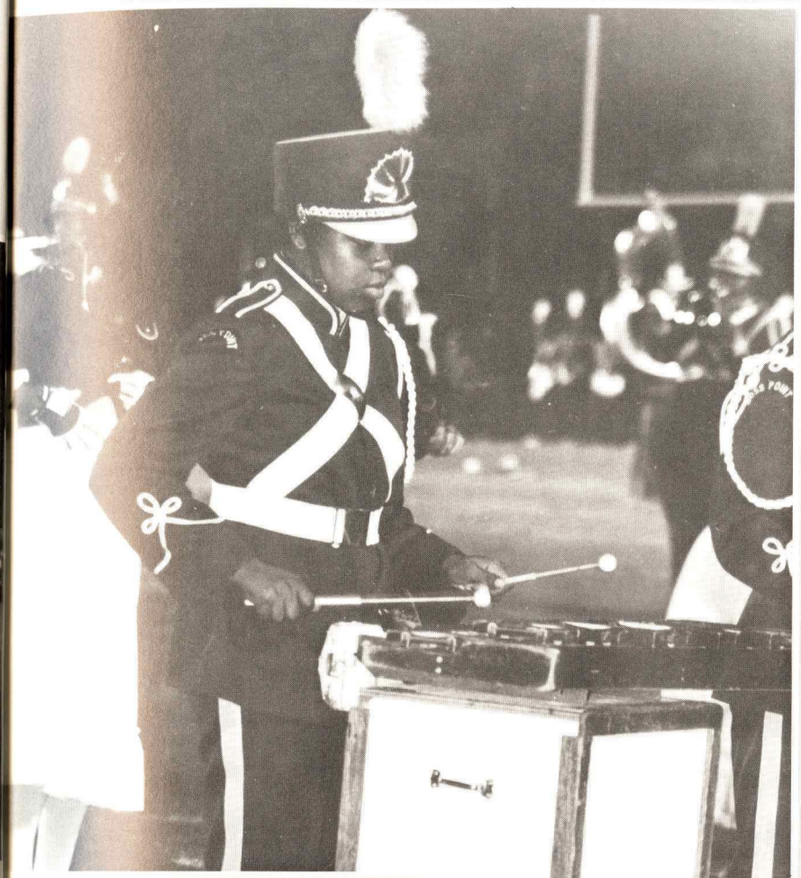
The science or art of incorporating pleasing, expressive, or intelligible combination tones into a composition having a definite structure and continuity — that was music and this was our band.
It all started one dreary August morn. They were up with the birds looking half asleep. Life in Candyland was never easy, but it had its rewards; in order to form a more perfect union, last year's band worked very diligently. However, as they marched out onto the field, they realized it was all worth their efforts.
Band remained one of the most popular extra-curricular activities. They joined in many competitions, and this made it truly an experience for anyone involved . . . and that's entertainment.

"Band is hard work which requires alot of dedication, but we do have those special times in which we can relax and have fun with our friends." — Candace Slaughter

"Band's fun but alot of hard work; however, being a senior is the best thing of all." — Holly Hulbert

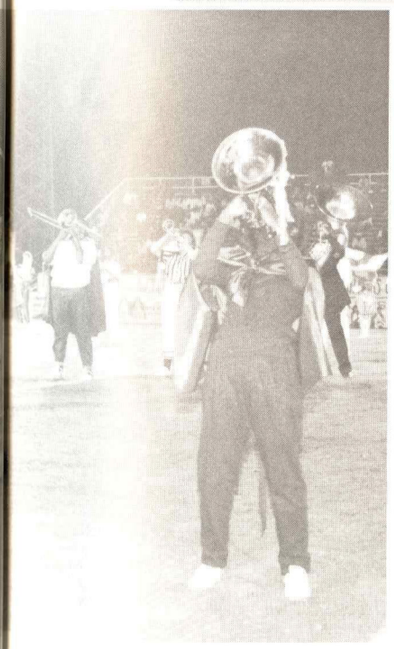


From the look on Dwylett Chambers', Ardetha Hollis', Pam Pickett's, and Holly Hardin's faces it is obvious that the guard did an awesome show.



"Little Boy Blue coome blow your horn." Randall Cobb, a senior band member, is featured as a soloist during the half-time performance.

Alfie James, one of Moss Point's mallet players, is showing classic concentration as she loses herself in a world of music.



The freaks really came out that night as Moss Point's band went all out (or all mad) dressing-up for the game before Halloween which happened to be homecoming.

Members: Sherrie Adams, Dewayne Andrews, Geneva Anglin, Johnnie Barnes, Contina Benn, Tony Benn, Nikita Black, Paul Bogard, Phyllis Braxton, Dejuana Bridges, Charles Brown, Tyrone Carter, Kevin Casto, Dwylett Chambers, Angela Chatman, Randall Cobb, Gladys Coleman, Monica Coleman, Jason Cook, Jerry Cooksey, Timothy Costict, Debra Creer, Stefani Crook, Brian Crews, Delena Cunningham, Gary Dale, Erica Davis, Shayla Davis, Krystal Davison, Lakeith Davison, Leo Duggan, Nellie Dyess, Debra Ezell, Jarrod Fountain, Keena Fox, Ryan Griffin, Rodney Hankins, Holly Hardin, Chandra Harrell, Ricky Hightower, Ardetha Hollis, Latunya Holloway, Holly Hulbert, Phillip Hulbert, Willie Hunt, Monica Hurst, Starlett Hutchins, Alfie James, Dianco Jenkins, Scott Jensen, Shavay Johnson, Tiffany Johnson, Dikila Jones, Eric Kline, Anthony Langley, Cristal Lett, Angela Lewis, Ingrid Liddell, Nathan Love, Amy May, Robyn May, Rosie McGuffie, Karen Millender, Erica McCurdy, Jermain Mims, Rhonda Monroe, Louis Montgomery, Sherita Moore, Leroy Morrissette, Travis Murray, Ursula Murray, Michael Nelson, Natasha Nettles, Willie Nettles, Kim Nichols, Juan Packer, Brandi Parker, Schelida Phillips, Pam Pickett, Carla Poindexter, Jennifer Richardson, Shaunda Robinson, Dina Ruffin, Michelle Sanford, Davey Shepherd, Jason Simms, Todd Simpson, Candace Slaughter, Timothy Smith, Synndrah Spillers, April Stallworth, Consuela Thigpen, Shelly Tillman, Joey Tyson, Laurie Vick, Tamara Walker, Tia Washington, Sharon Watt, Sheila Webster, Kim Wells, Jeff Welzbacher, Corey Williams, Princess Williams, Taurus Williamson, Marcus Womble, Don Dixon, Toscha Dubose, Sunday Riley.

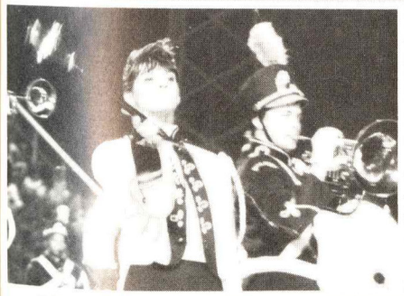
Jazz Band: Joey Tyson, Jeff Welzbacher, Ricky Hightower, Tim Costict, Richard Hardy, Brian Wade, and Paul Bogard.

Band Directors: Stan Chapman, Su Kramer.

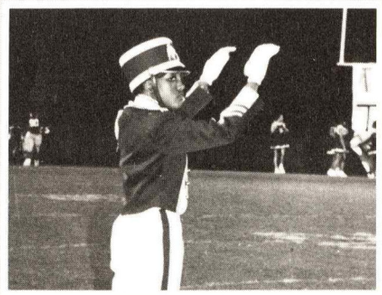
"Through the band program I have traveled to many wonderful places and made friendships that will last a lifetime. The work is hard, but worth all of the trouble."
— Michelle Sandford

The band participates at the MPHS Homecoming parade.

The band performs at half-time during one of the home games.



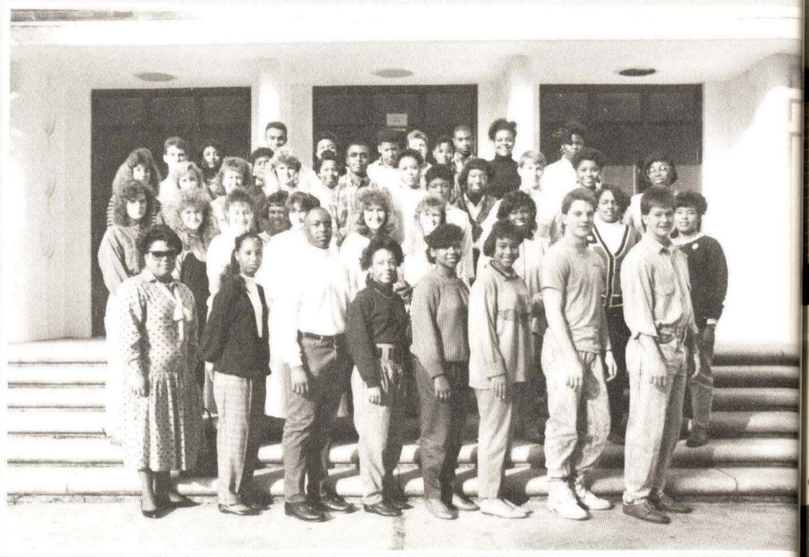
Drum Major, Candice Slaughter, takes her job seriously.



Kim Nichols, Co-drum major, directs th band during a half-time show.

Amber Parker, band guard member, concentrates on the band program.

The Ones With The Smarts



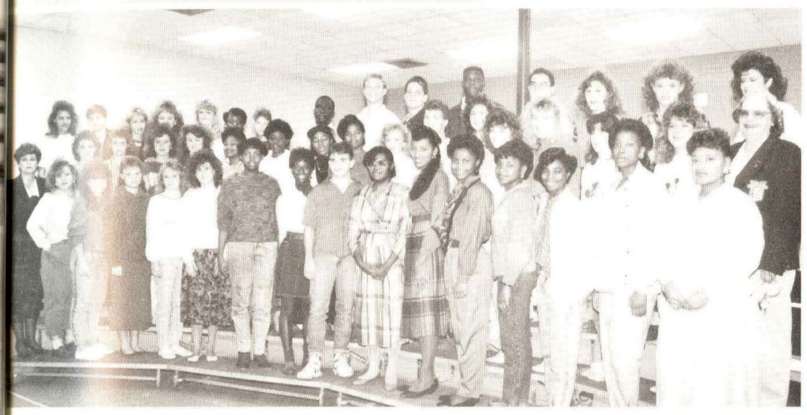
National Honor Society

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY MEMBERS: Shelley Britt, Jan Carter, Kevin Casto, Tiffany Chestang, Monica Coleman, James Collins, Monica Crear, Jennifer Cronier, Leticia Ellis, Shonta Felder, John Gunnefsen, Erica Hall, Rodney Hankins, Richard Hanks, Holly Hardin, Chandra Harrell, Ardetha Hollis, Lisa Holyfield, Raquel Howard, Holly Hulbert, Alfie James, Cartina Keeton, Eric Kline, Andrea Langley, Albert Long, Amy McCowan, Arthur McInnis, Marcus McInnis, Amy May, Robyn May, Robby Miller, Pam Perryman, Sarah Seltzer, Jerry Sims, Lewis Sims, Synndrah Spillers, Tamara Walker, Akeba Wells, Trena Wigley, Doug Wilkerson, Marcy Winters, Orvia Woods.

Mu Alpha Theta

MU ALPHA THETA MEMBERS: Sarah Seltzer, Pam Catchings, Sherrie Adams, Teresa Allman, Geronda Carter, Jan Carter, Tiffany Chestang, Monica Coleman, Alisa Cooper, Ginger Copeland, Monica Crear, Leticia Ellis, Holly Hardin, Lisa Holyfield, Raquel Howard, Holly Hulbert, Willie Kennedy, Lamonica Paige, Lewis Sims, Donald Williams, Phyllis Braxton, Scott Jensen, Lynn Rayner, Mike Canfield, Sandi Harris, Tyesha Walker, Latrisha Allen, Jennifer Pope, Nicole Hurd, Kristi Davis, Chandra Harrell, Brian Wade, Andrea Langley, Mark Andaluz, Camela Moore, Veronica Jenkins, Robyn May, Marcy Williams, Shelley Britt, Marcina Burpo, Dwylett Chambers, Rodney Hankins, Alfie James, Catrina Keeton, Albert Long, Sharla McCrory, Robby Miller, Amber Parker, Pam Perryman, Schledia Phillips, Pamela Pickett, Natisha Roberson, Christopher Roberts, Tamara Walker, Shelia Webster, Doug Wilkerson, Faleshia Betts, Timberly Bryan, Jennifer Cronier, Melissa Darden, Sirena Dillon, Tonya Edwards, Shonta Felder, Shiree Gibson, Latrina Graves, John Gunnufsen, Erica Hall, Lesli Hankins, Lorne Harris, Felisha Hinton, Nani Hollimon, Ardetha Hollis, Eric Kline, Donna Lett, Arthur McInnis, Marcus McInnis, Yolanda Olive, Jerri Sims, Lametrice Sims, Roderick Upshaw, Akeba Wells, Ronald Wilson, Orvia Woods.

FBLA officers and competitors.



Members: Sonya Coleman, Bonita Thomas, Tara Wiley, Alisa Cooper, Holly Hulbert, Lynn Rainer, Teresa Allman, Kathryn Guess, Tonya Abbott, Dyrone Dearman, Jon Mitchell, Amy McCowan, Cindy Baker, Melinda Broome, Denise Hadley, Michael Hinton, Tabitha Browning, Tara Williams, Melissa Parker, Marie Trussell, Kristy Keys, Larry Riley, Sandra Jackson, Buffie Tillman, Tricia Eubanks, Steve Albright, Mary Jane Williams, Renee Padgett, Krista Townsend, Timberly Bryan, Amanda Wescovich, Tonya Hamilton, Becky Suthoff, Leigh Fillingame, Stephanie Stork, Lisa Holyfield, Stephanie Brown, Devonna Strothoff, LeAnn Sheppard, Salena Jackson, Angela Jones, Akeba Wells, Yolanda Puryear, Yolanda Olive, Mary Winters, Lorne Harris, James Barlow, Nancy Alexander, Marty Orgeron, Hope Spicer, Lemetrice Sims, Randall Cobb, Jennifer Browning, Ann Walton, Celia Hudson, Geronda Carter, Joy Trusler, Kim Hester, Kelli Graham, Donny Lamey, Robby Miller, Kellie Fairley, Dominique McArthur, Natisha Roberson, Angela Crowley, Felecia Betts, Raquel Williams, Dee Kelton, Darrell Davis, James Massey, LaKenya Thomas, Jeremiah Richardson, Riva Brown, Tonya Cook Catrina McMillan, Sandra Armstrong, Angie Brown, Marcina Burpo, Benil Bolton, Melanie Cumbest, Jennifer Pope, Kimberly McCorvey, Cheryl Bickham, Valerie Ratcliff, Cathy Breland, Danny Stringer.

FBLA members decorated a car for the Homecoming parade.

"Business is America's future. FBLA tries to encourage people to get involved in business."
— Robby Miller

. . . This Meeting Is Called To Order

This was Moss Point High School's governing body. The Student Council was elected to serve the school, students, and community by planning activities and fundraisers everyone could benefit from.

Among the events that were sponsored by the Student Council were the Carnival Ball, the Basketball Homecoming, and the Football Homecoming. The dedicated officers also worked diligently to raise money needed for several worthwhile projects. One such fundraiser went towards the purchase of a new school sign.

The senior class officers of the Student Council let everyone know they think their new school is number one.

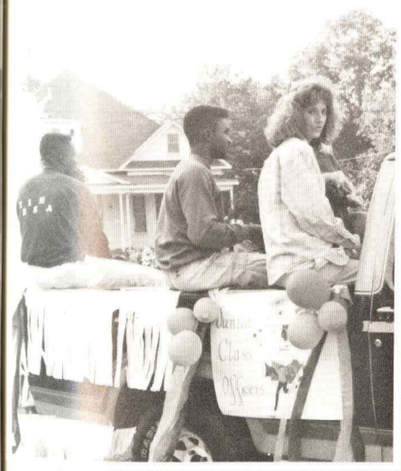
Junior Class Officers: Melvin Wroten, Rachel Martin, Joy Trusler, Kathleen Dunn, Tonya Abston, Phyllis Braxton, Princess Williams, Tamara Walker.

Senior Class Officers: Jason Green, Ginger Copeland, Trina Harris, Donna Lett, Faleshia Betts, Tammy Woods, Monica Coleman, Monica Crear, and Holly Hardin.

"Working with Student Council this year has been a true learning experience. Together we've all joined with the common goal of improving student/faculty relations."
— Jan Carter

1988-89 Student Council.

Executive Council: Jan Carter (President), Erica Hall (Vice Presieent), Lewis Sims (Vice President), Ginger Copeland (Tresurer), Lisa Holyfield (Secretary), Donny Lamey (Parliamentarian), and Willie Kennedy (Sargeant-at-Arms).



The junior Student Council members had an entry in the Homecoming parade.

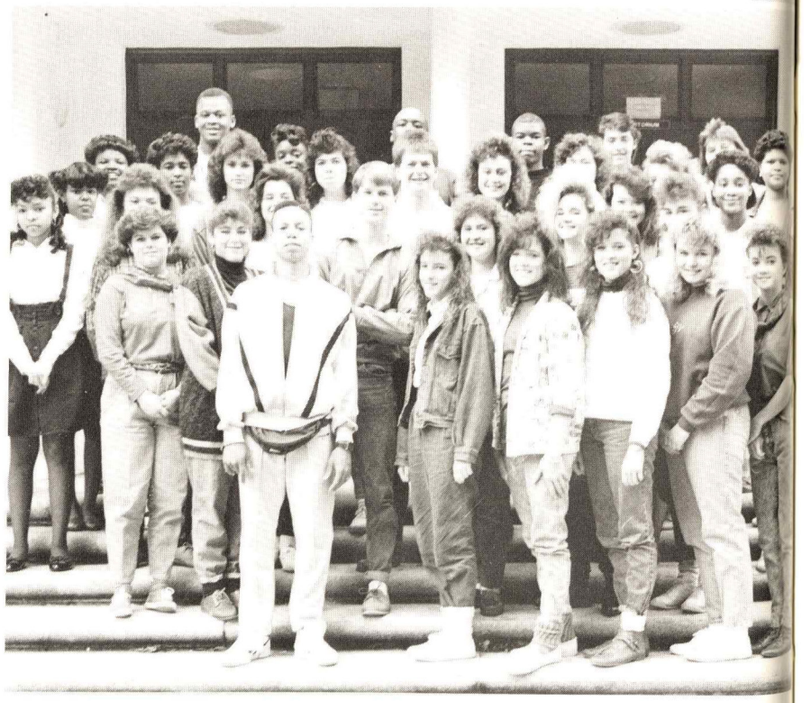
Sophomore Class Officers: Monica Hurst, Sherita Moore, Cynthia Bately, Dikela Jones, Eric Hawkins, Alicia Lett, and Robyn May.

French Officers: Pres.-Jennifer Cronier, V.P.-Kendyle Stout, Trea.-Brett Cronier, Sec.-Monica Coleman, Reporter-Angie Bonnett.

Top: Spanish Club; Middle: French Club.

Spanish club members: Rachel Brooks, Stephanie Kellum, Rebecca Walley, April Stallworth, Chandra Harrell, Robby Miller, Robyn May, Jennifer Weiss Catina Norsworthy, Amy Bonnett, Angie Bonnett, Jennifer Cronier, Monica Colema, Brett Cronier, Kim Mercer, Kendyle Stout, Andrea Langley, Douglas Wilkerson, Kutina Carter, Nikita Black, Shelly Tillman, Laurie Vick, Willene Jones, Marcus McInnis, Arthur McInnis, Michelle Blankenship, Jacki Chatel, Kim Wells, John Guannufson, Tanya Cronier, Demetrice Campbell, Kelly Manning, Mary Williams, Susan Pigott, Willie Kennedy, LaDoris McLaughlin, Jennifer Pope, Karen Millender, Roderick Thames, Sarah Seltzer, Arkela Hoskins, Anthony Langley, Brandi Parker, Candy Miller, Kelli Graham.

French members: Royce Kelton, Rose Harris, Jennifer Schieve, Shonta Felder, Kenneth Sellers, Jennifer Polk, Rachel Thompson, Debra Ezell, Gariel Wiley, Schledia Phillips, Romanica Williams, Veronica Jenkins, Cartina Keeton, Alecia Lett, Cheryl Dueitt, Tyesha Walker, Pam Perryman, Arteza Harris, Lavon Neese, Erica Downs, Chris Roberts, Mark Upton, Linda Upton, Cara Ford, Joy Trusler, Michael Hinton, Kelli Hall, Latunya Holloway, Amelia Webb, Lorne Harris, Fiona Johnson, Richard Hanks, Amy Watkins, Bridgett Padgett, Alberta Haynes, Stephanie Stork, Kim Nichols, Joel Myers, Jason Keenum, Andre Dubose, Angela Crowley, Tracy Corley, Charles Harris, Camela Moore, Tracy Mason, Marlon Morris, Fontella Worthy, Vicky Chaney, Michael Laperouse, Rachel Martin, Veronica Jenkins, Mary Smith, Mikki Haynes.



No Language Barriers

French Club homecoming parade entry.

"Espanol - un mundo nuevo de communicacion."
— Sharon Johnson

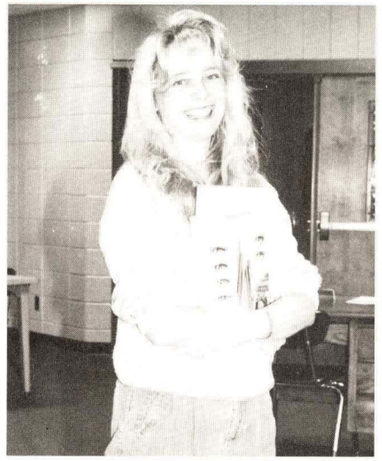
Spanish Club Officers - Pres.-Zenja Greer, V.P.-Geronda Carter, Trea.-Schledia Phillips, Sec.-Londa Molden.

Spanish Club homecoming parade entry.

Good Advice

"Being in Teen Connection has helped me realize how many people need help. Teen connection is reaching out to the younger generation. Say no to drugs and yes to life."

— Latrina Graves



Mrs. Vickie Hughes sponsors both the Beacons and Peer counselors.

Counselors: Tonya Abston, Calvin Armstrong, Felisha Betts, Phyllis Braxton, Stacey Broughton, Marcina Burpo, Jan Carter, Jennifer Cronier, Brunette Galloway, Kelli Fairley, Shonta Felder, Terri Hall, Holly Hardin, Arteza Harris, Ardetha Hollis, Rosalind Hurd, Melissa Jackson, Melita Jackson, Veronic Jenkins, Stephanie Kellum, Willie Kennedy, Eric Kline, Jonathan Lynn, Oyoko Mann, Dominque McArthur, Sharla McCrory, Kimberly Mercer, Terricka Mingo, Denise Price, Shannon Redmon, Sunday Riley, Jamie Scholl, Debbie Sewell, Natasha Straughn, Devonna Strothoff, Bryan Tate, Traci Thornton, Ashley Trochessett, Joy Trusler, Zachery Watson, Tammy Williams, Akeba Wells.

The Beacons were welcomed by Gov. Mabus at the colisseum.

Beacons: Helen Anderson, James Barlow, Jennifer Browning, Marcina Burpo, Geronda Carter, Jason Green, Holly Hardin, Nani Hollimon, Lisa Holyfield, Raquel Howard, Holly Hulbert, Monica Hurst, Starlett Hutchins, Scott Jensen, Willie Kennedy, Eric Kline, Donny Lamey, Alisha Lett, Albert Long, Robby Miller, Juan Packer, Todd Presley, Lynn Rayner, Natisha Roberson, James Royston, Tony Schatz, Jennifer Scheive, Lewis Sims, Stacey Skeet, Synndrah Spillers, Stephanie Stork, Roderick Upshaw, Tamara Walker, Doug Wilkerson, and Corey Williams.

Teen Connection members: Kristi Davis, Tonya Mason, Denise Durham, Dione Fantroy, Lorne harris, Charles Nettles, Dean Brown, Lulu Brown, Rachael Brooks, Jonathan Hamilton, Andrea Collins, Kutina Carter, Amy Monroe, Amanda Eakes, Kala Gatson, Latrina Graves, Erica Hall, Georgie Hand, Valarie Doakes, Kathleen Dunn, Joy Trusler, Contina Benn, Yolanda Thomspon, Kim Nichols, Jennifer Polk, Natasha Straughn, Latunya Holloway, Natalie Franklin, Regina Stanton, Arkelia Hoskins, Vivecia Ward, Benilda Bolton, Marcus McInnis, Arthur McInnis, Raqual Howard, Shonta Felder, Tamara Walker, Cartina Keeton, Katie Henry, Michael Cowan, Pamela Perryman, Angela Liddell, Norvella Webb, Dominque McArthur, Mary Monroe, Steve Harris, Shonda McBeth, Tonya Edwards, Monica Coleman, William Brown.

The Beacons meet one of the guest speakers at the American Dream program held at the Biloxi coliseum.

Yearbook staff members Michelle Sanford, Renee Padgett and Jan Carter look over snapshots.

1989 GROWLER STAFF

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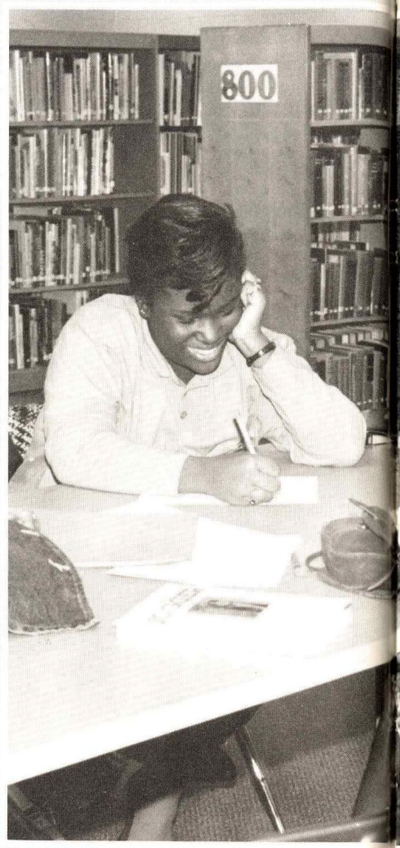
Beauchamp, Patricia Eubanks, Sonya Hawkins.

Yearbook advisors - Betty Richardson and Cheryl Baxter.

You just had to be there. Monday nights were a riot. The annual staff was supposed to use that time to do a yearbook. What did they do - they ate, they laughed, they listened to music, they watched TV, they gossiped, and they did manage to complete the 1989 GROWLER. This year's annual staff set an advertisement sales record - $6,000.00. The Growler staff also sponsored the MPHS Beauty Pageant.

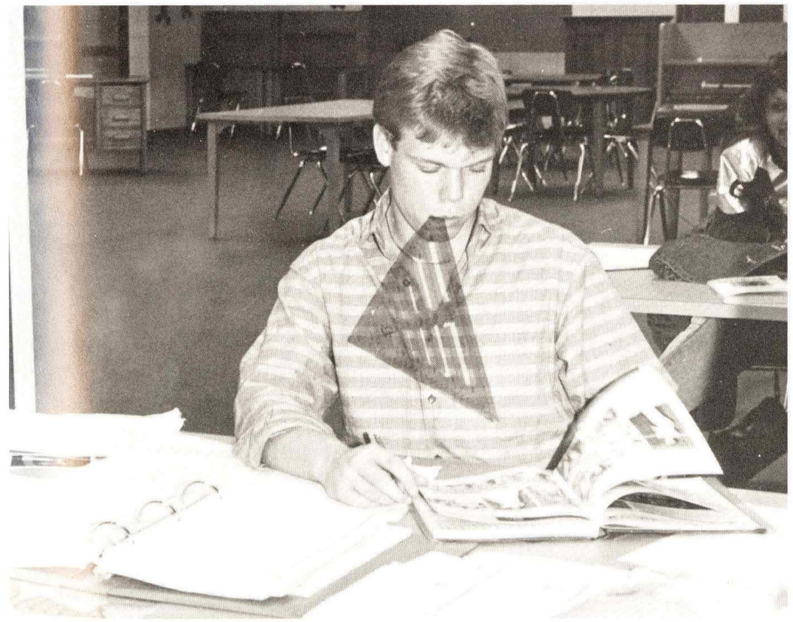


Jan Carter and Marcina Burpo discuss the events section of the yearbook.

Holly Hulbert enjoys another Monday night at annual staff!

"I think that working on the annual staff has helped me a lot considering that I might major in journalism. I've really enjoyed putting the yearbook together. It has made my senior year better."

— Bonnie Miles



Donny Lamey is "hard at work"???

Editor Holly Hardin assists Sarah Seltzer with the faculty section.

Growler Staff Gives Second Glance

Clubs With A Future

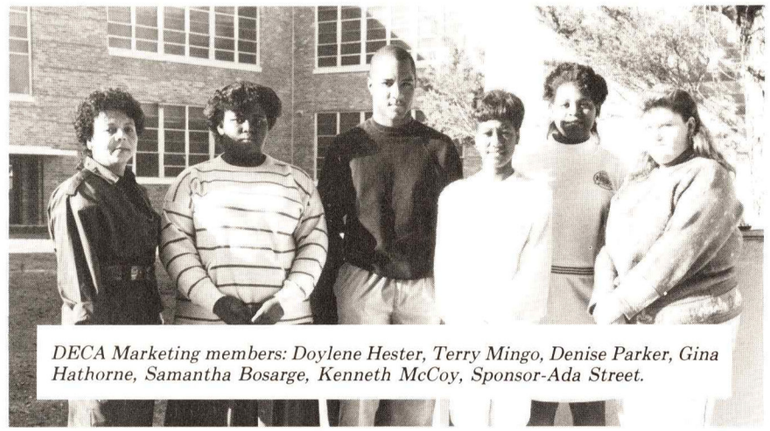
Distributive Ed. Officers: Pres.-Eric Blackmon, V. Pres.-Jason Green, Rep. His.-Tracy Freeman, Sec.-Fiona Johnson, Chaplain-Monica Crear, Sargeant-of-Arms-Sylethai McCann.

VICA Officers: Pres.-Jay Zettler, V.Pres.-Kian Davis, Treas.-Carl Havard, Sec.-Jeff Gilliand, Rep.-Frank Dyess, Parliamentarian-Joey Buxton.

Distributive Ed. Members: Eric Blackmon, Beverly Brown, Michelle Cullins, Nicole Hurd, Fiona Johnson, Marcia Keyes, Syletha McCann, Tammie Woods, Karen Bradley, Tracy Freeman, Steven Knight, Vivecia Ward, Glynna Brown, Monica Crear, Jason Green, and Jerri Sims.

Vocational clubs had entries in the Homecoming parade.

VICA members: Jeff Gillian, Greg Hanes, Ezell Johnson, Jay Zettler, Frank Dyess, Marlo Fantroy, Eric Franklin, Bert McCorvey, Brad Richardson, Eric Williams, Kian Davis, Carl Havard, David Hunning, Robert Peters, David Poole, Jeff Vice, Joey Buxton, Keith Coulter, Bo Darnell, Heath Davis, Tony Goldman, Gordon Hester, Michael Jones, David McDuffee, Billy Miller, Marc Miller, Anthony Odom, Rex Sailors, David Sewell, Benny Vice, Matt Vice, Bryan Plummer, William Vice.



DECA Marketing members: Doylene Hester, Terry Mingo, Denise Parker, Gina Hathorne, Samantha Bosarge, Kenneth McCoy, Sponsor-Ada Street.

Diversified Occupations members: Dee Kelton, Darrell Davis, James Massey, Lakenya Thomas, Jeremiah Richardson, Riva Brown, Tonya Clark, Catrina McMillon, Sandra Armstrong, Angie Brown, Marcina Burpo, Benilda Bolton, Melanie Cumbest, Jennifer Pope, Kimberly McCorvey, John Mitchell, Cheryl Bickham, Valeria Ratcliff, Cathy Breland, Danny Stringer.

"I think the VICA club is a very good opportunity for students to learn skills before we start work."
— Matt Vice

Members: Kelli Fairley, Lemetrice Sims, Veronica Robinson, Leequinita Clark, Dickey Dickinson, Felecia Betts, Tonya Abston, Darren Alford, Larry Alexander, Devon Applewhite Dionne Applewhite, Scott Arnold, Teresa Bivins, Dwylett Chambers, Andri Collins, Michelle Cullins, Raymond Davis, Samaderick Downs, Terrance Dilworth, Robert Fountain, Lee Frances, Chylander Haynes, Audra Hinton, Emmeett Holder, Melissa Jackson, Melita Jackson, Lucretia Jackson, Fiona Johnson, Willie Kennedy, Thomas Leverette, Jonathan Lynn, George Martin, Syletha McCann, Tericka Mingo, Clara Morgan, Kim Nichols, Pam Perryman, Pam Pickett, Charles Plainer, Dominick Riley, Riche Robbins, Wanda Robinson, Thurmond Roller, Catrina Walker, Tyesha Walker, Sharon Watts, Tonya Watts, Amelia Webb, Michelle Wells, Donald Williams, Reginald Williams, Vergie Williams, Cassandra Wiggins, Elecia Chestang, Brandi Ladnier, Michael Richardson, Shatonya Taylor, Kami Hearndon, Regina Daugherty, Carolyn Lynn, Jackie Chatel, Shelia Webster, Tracy Mason, Louis Montgomery, Debbie Couture, Ardetha Hollis, Melvin Wroten, Levi Sims, Marcus Chambers, Stacey Marion, Ava Jackson, Karen Bradley, Raquel Howard, Michelle Aquart, Erica Downs, Marcy Robbins, Terry Gaines, Brandy Crowley, and Debra Ezell.

Drama Club actors portray mum[illegible]s.

"I'm in the Drama Club because I've always enjoyed drama, and Mrs. Owens always tries to make it fun for us."
— Regina Daugherty

Getting Their "ACT" Together

Thomas Leverette acts ou his part with a lot of facial expression and motions.

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HERO CLOTHING

OUR HEROES

HERO parade entry

Ashley Trochessette and Priscilla Donald show off the sweatshirts the club members stencilled.

Delana Moore and Orvia Wood work on a HERO clothing project at the sewing machine.

HERO CHILD CARE: Pam Bell, Joy Brown, Stacie Burnes, Lashunda Chaney, Priscilla Donald, Sonja Hawkins, Amy Monroe, Sharon Scott, Elizabeth Spicer, Ashley Trochessette, Helen Anderson, Angel Daugherty, Ethel Gandy, Elizabeth Gill, Cassandra Graham, Kim Hall, Latreena Martin, Sonya McDonald, Jamika Steele, Norvella Webb.

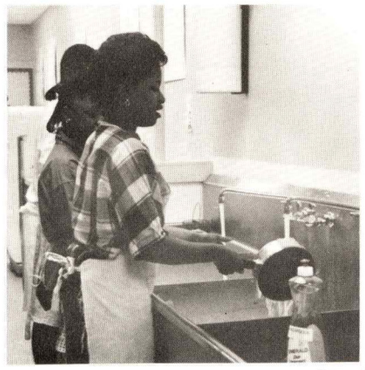
HERO CLOTHING: Karin Cannon, Dranita Champion, LaCheryl Hudson, Cecilia Mack, Tawanda Magee, Delana Moore, Sherry Page, Angela Titus, Orvia Woods, Tamela Barlow, Sharon Batiste, TeRhonda Brumfield, Janell Carter, Tonya Edwards, Melody Free, Sonya Fuller, Tiffany Graves, Tina Johnson, Rhonda Law, Marcye Robbins, Earlean Robinson, Debbie Sewell, Cheryl Wilson.

"Tiger Tales" is great for all the students taking the foods course. There is a special sequence of learning that is different from any other course. This is the most entertaining class I've ever taken."

— Lee Francis

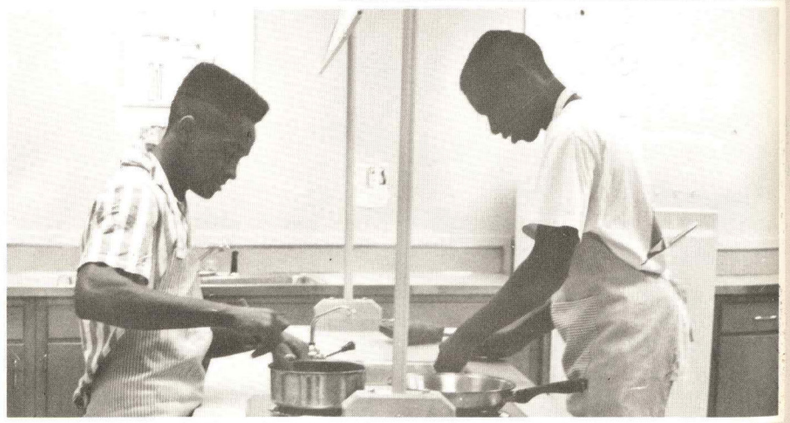
HERO Foods entered a decorated truck i the Homecoming parade. The students really have the Tiger school spirit.

Ruben Betts, Helen Biggs, Laura Grissom, Kelvin James, Jonathan Lynn, Cliff Magee, Willie Mae Pugh, Michael Roy, Robert Sanders, Craig Sims, Leedon Wells, Erica Woodland, Precious Stallworth, Margie Magee, Clesha Bardwell, William Brown, Paula Diaz, Lee Francis, Selena Gillis, Steven Harris, LaShaugh Hudson, Andra Jones, Sharon Macklin, Vera McCorvey, James Nathan, Marcus Nettles, Jackie Sewell, Tabatha Steen, Lawanda Wash, Cecilia Watson, Darrell Whitehead - HERO FOODS

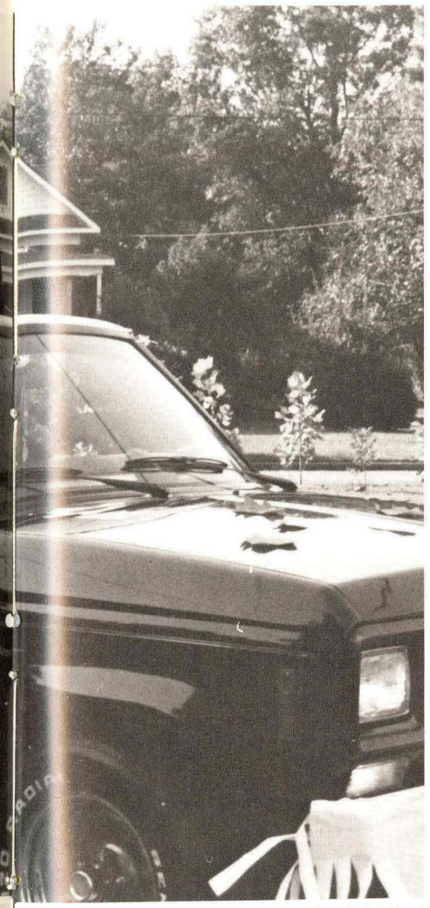


Helen Biggs and Erika Woodland wash up after serving a Tiger Tales Cafe meal. Clean up is as important as cooking.

Kevin James and Cliff Magee work at the stove preparing another Tiger Tales dish.

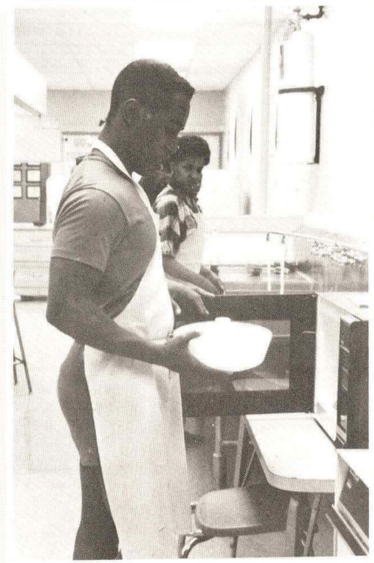


Tiger Tales Cafe



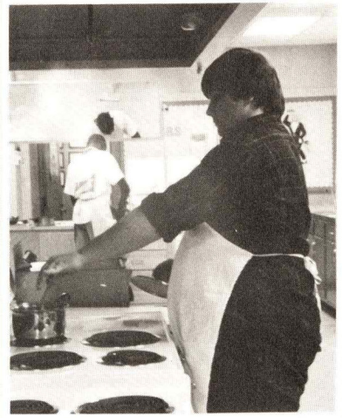
The food/nutrition class at Moss Point High School has been changed to Occupational Food Services. This change is in keeping with technical trends that are changing our state. A commercial food service program teaches students how to use heavy duty equipment properly, to plan and implement nutritious, appealing menus, how to achieve customer satisfaction and the importance of positive working conditions. The students spend approximately nine weeks in the skills. The remainder of the year is spent practicing "hands-on" food preparation/restaurant management skills. The students are responsible for plan ning, preparing and cleanliness of all meals. The students are also available for catering or may be asked to work as waiters or waitresses at city functions such as the MPAC banquet.

Students who are trained in Occupational Food Services will find it easier to acquire employment as part-time employees since companies do receive a tax deduction from the state and federal government. In other words, the Occupational Food students find it easier to obtain part-time jobs while still in school, are prepared for a professional career, have an exciting time cooking, and are given a reduced price on their meals.



Reuben Betts places a casserole in the microwave. Helen Biggs watches as she washes dishes.

HERO - FOODS

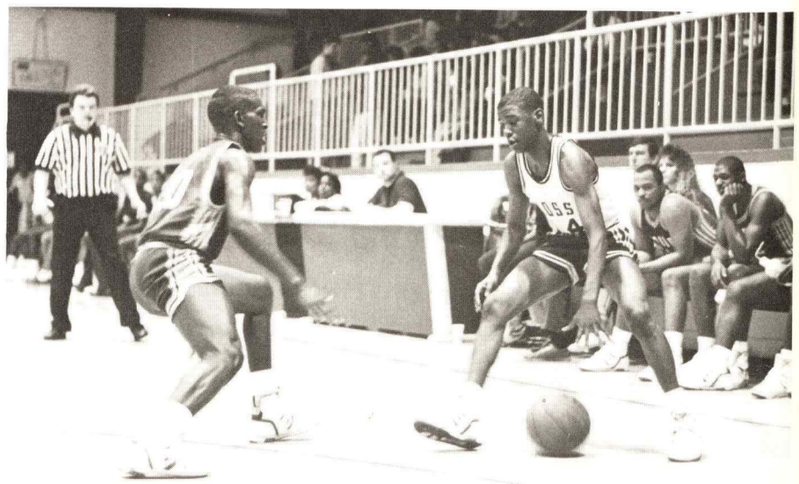


Jonathan Lynn cooks up a Tiger Tales Cafe specialty.

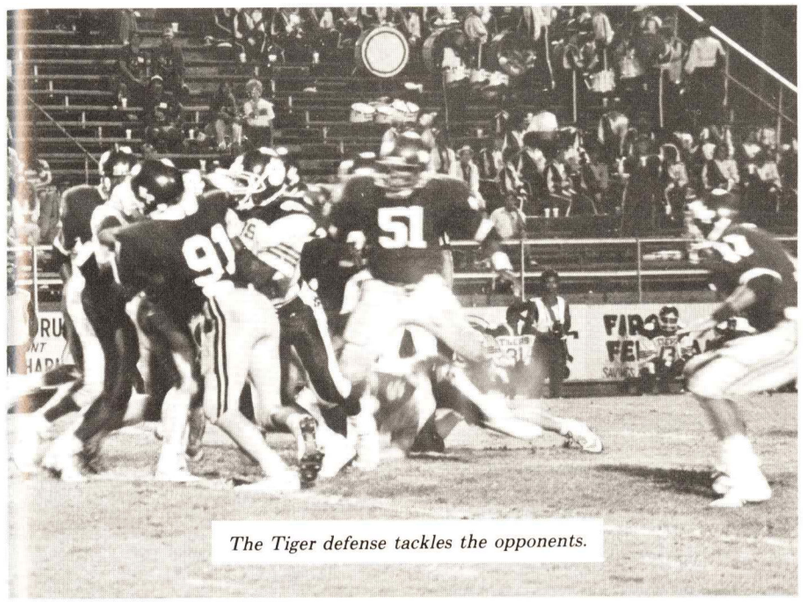
Sports

Tawana Woods and Princess Davis are the sophomore girls cross country team members.

Wet, but happy, our cheerleaders are still number "1"



Roderick Stewart keeps his eyes on the defense as he moves toward the goal.



The Tiger defense tackles the opponents.

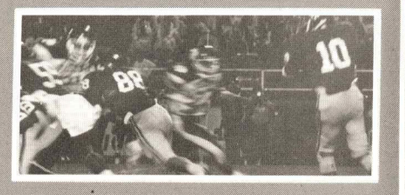
Students at Moss Point High School who participated in athletics chose to challenge themselves. They went the extra mile to represent MPHS to the best of their ability on the field, court, or track and still had to maintain required academic standards. This was the year of the LADY TIGER SOFTBALL TEAM. They took us all the way to a State Championship - a 1st for MS high school girls softball. Whatever sport - the Tigers represented us well and made us proud.

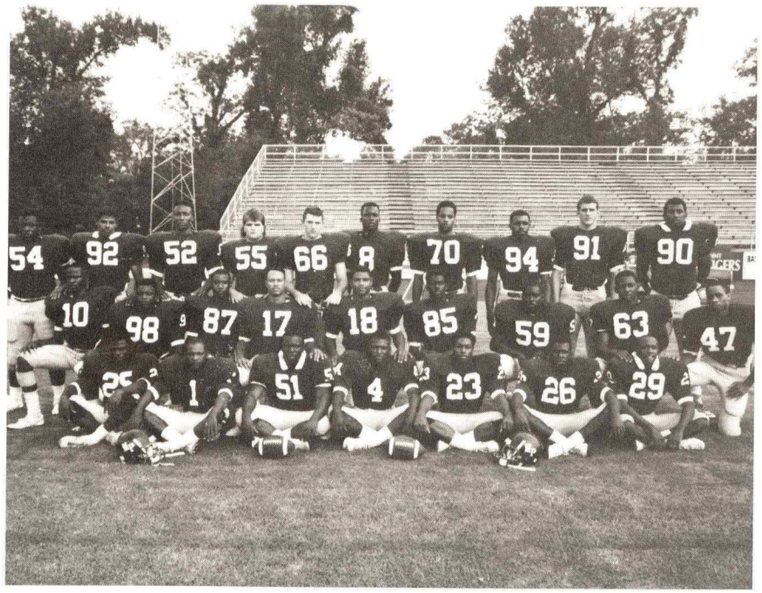
The Lady Tigers are number 1 in the state!

Worth a whole lot more

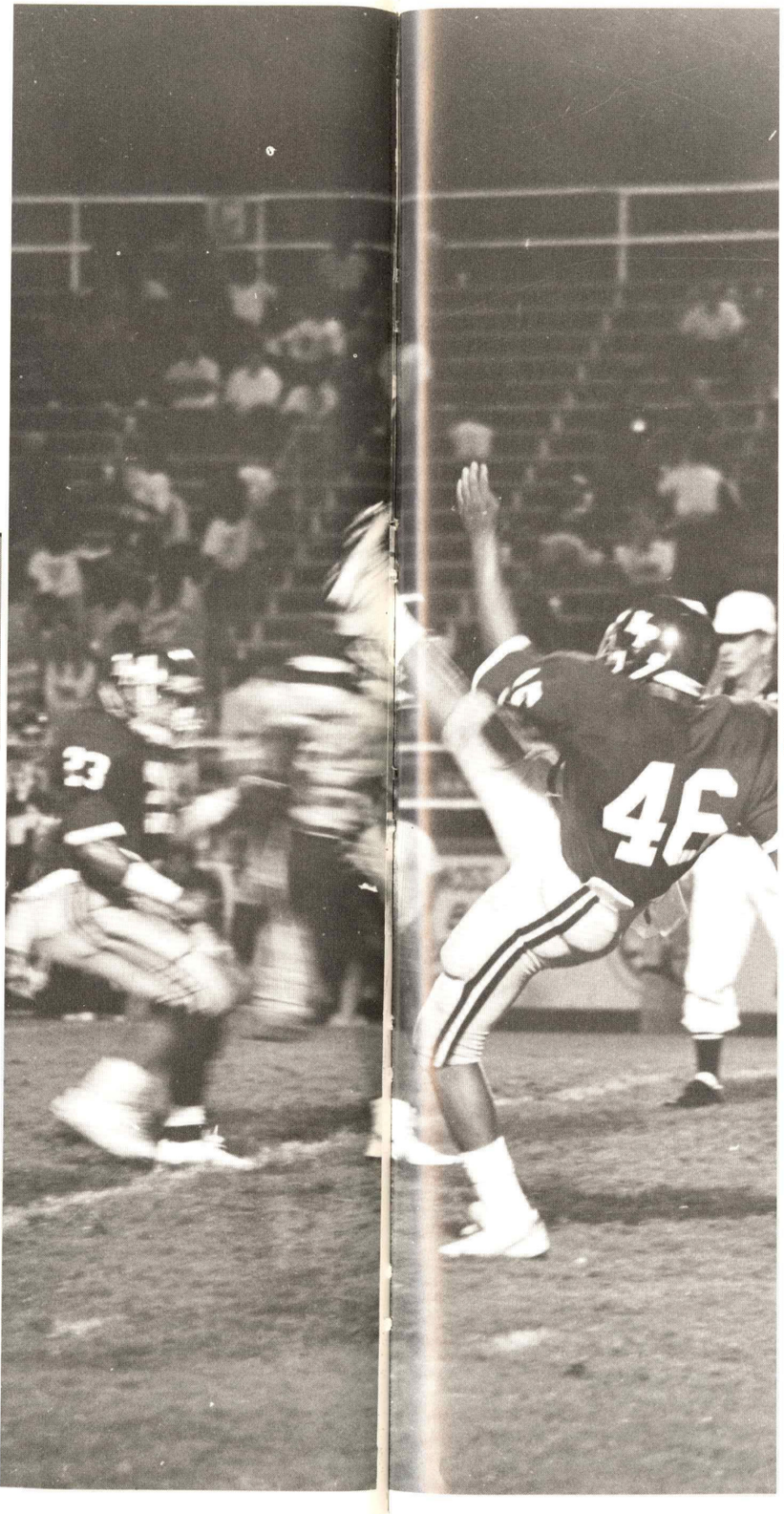
This year's season was full of ups and downs. From the opening game against Davidson to the season ending playoff game against Meridian, the Tiger team played hard and matured. The Tigers knew how hard their season would be from the start of fall practice. The schedule of games included the top teams across three states. Also, the Tigers were coming into this season after last year's 1-9 record. After the many strenuous hours spent on the practice field during fall practice, the Tigers were ready to begin the climb back to the top. There were many challenges to be faced, but the Tigers did not give up. The goal to have a successful season and to make it to the playoffs was met. The season ended in the Division 7-8 State playoff game against Meridian. Even though the Tigers lost the game, they proved to everyone that they were on their way back!!

"Not only was football fun but it was a lot of hard work. All the hard work pays off at the games on Friday nights!"
— Todd Harrell



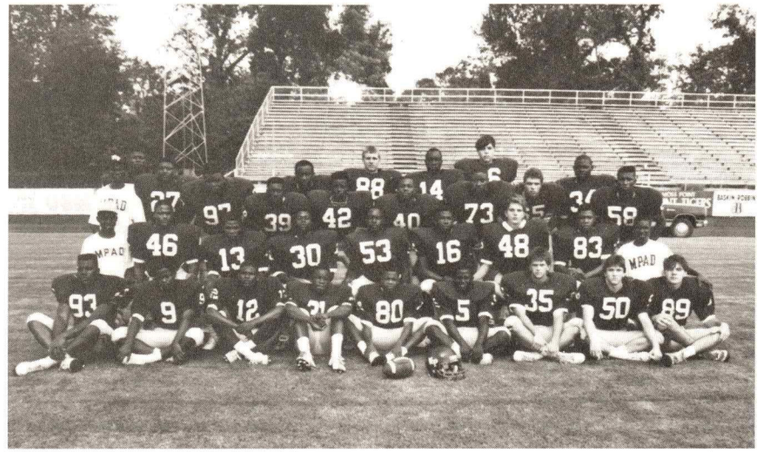


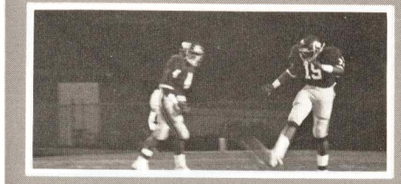
The 1988-89 MPHS senior Tigers.



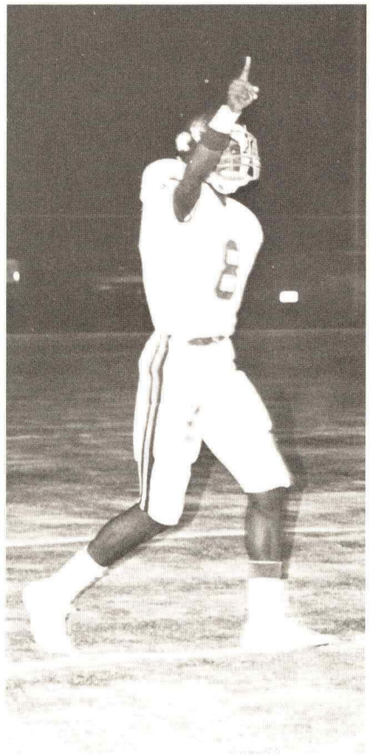
Marcus Wells shows his outstanding kicking ability at the start of the game.

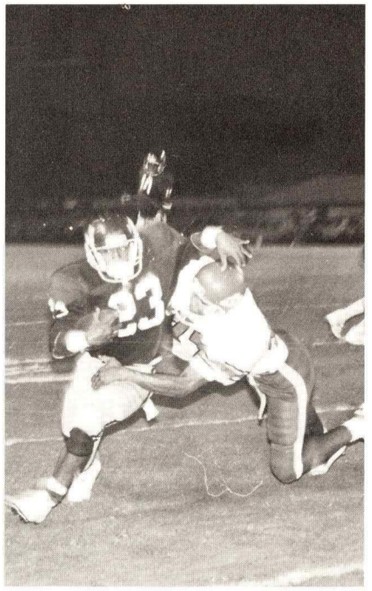
The 1988-89 junior Tigers





The Tigers are lined up for the kick-off by Craig Graffree.





The opposition has a tough time trying to take down Sam Hawkins.

Willie Harris gives the #1 sign following a great Tiger move.

. . . all the way to the play-offs

1	Kenny Speers	WR	140	12
4	Montre Holloway	WR	165	12
5	Marcus Heynes	WR	135	11
6	Marlon Lett	WR	140	12
8	Willie Harris	WR	180	12
9	Alvin Abney	QB	166	11
10	Miguel Osgood	QB	176	12
12	Johnathan Hamilton	DB	165	11
13	Robert Broughton	DB	126	11
14	Kelly Steele	DB	164	11
16	Dennis Nash	DB	165	11
17	Ernest Austin	DB	170	12
18	Tommy Landrum	DB	170	12
19	Craig Graffree	WR	186	12
23	Sam Hawkins	RB	160	12
25	Robert Williams	RB	155	12
26	Mytreal Matthews	DB	160	12
27	Todd Bailey	RB	170	11
29	Cedric McCann	RB	140	12
30	Chris Gholer	DB	130	11
31	Willie F Harris	DB	126	11
33	Darren Alford	LB	185	11
34	Frank Jackson	LB	180	11
35	Lewis Sims	LB	192	11
36	Alvin Harris	RB	160	11
39	Kipton Medlous	DB	150	11
40	Bernard Brown	WR	140	11
42	Obedeen Creer	DB	156	11
46	Marcus Wells	LB	190	11
47	Lee Smith	WR	141	12
48	Robby Mills	DB	161	11
51	Robert Rodgers	NT	205	12
52	Charles Nettles	C	200	12
53	James Collins	NT	195	11
54	Roderick Upshaw	OT	240	12

55	Chris Henderson	C	210	12
58	Alce Banks	OG	198	11
59	Kelvin Chestang	OG	210	12
62	Alton Davis	LB	170	11
63	Chris Welker	OG	180	12
65	Pat Moore	OT	215	11
66	Daryl Depperschmidt	OG	180	12
68	Eric Barnes	LB	150	11
70	Charles Pleiner	DT	171	12
73	Anthony Roy	OT	240	11
79	Cedric McCullum	DT	171	11
80	Sedrick Liddell	DB	140	11
83	Henry Beard	TE	170	11
85	Kevin Roberson	TE	168	12
88	Todd Herrell	TE	190	11
89	James Royston	LB	155	11
90	Chris Stallworth	DT	240	12
91	John Cross	LB	196	12
92	Syrone McBeath	LB	185	12
93	Clarence Jones	DT	215	11
94	Donald Broadnax	LB	160	12
96	Burney Keenum	DT	210	11
97	Sidney Middleton	DT	250	11
98	Tim Mages	LB	185	12
99	Ramon Gill	DB	150	11

SOPHOMORES

2	Cornelius Jackson	WR	156	10
3	Freddie Green	WR	127	10
7	Sean Banks	QB	150	10
11	Derrick Taits	QB	170	10
12	Calgin James	QB	160	10
15	Eric Austin	DB	168	10
20	Albert Mitchell	RB	172	10
2	Chris Williams	RB	156	10

22	Tremayne Harris	RB	143	10
24	Hershel Hunter	RB	170	10
28	Alex Deville	DB	130	10
32	Derrick Odom	RB	196	10
37	Jeff Triplett	DB	150	10
38	Chris Johnson	DB	156	10
41	Marcus Colley	DB	110	10
43	Luther C ser	DB	136	10
44	Ricky Cato	LB	206	10
45	Tyrone Shennon	DB	139	10
49	Richard Hanks	DB	152	10
50	Marcus Jackson	OG	210	10
56	Willie Harris III	LB	160	10
57	Tyrone Graffree	C	250	10
60	Billy McBeath	OT	250	10
61	Rusty Robertson	OG	182	10
64	Marcus Perryman	OG	160	10
67	Freddie Landrum	LB	140	10
69	Todd Presley	OG	170	10
71	Freddie Pollock	DT	220	10
72	James Thigpen	OT	176	10
74	Jim Mott	OG	184	10
75	Joseph Dorsey	OT	210	10
76	Derrick Liddell	OT	170	10
77	Chris Chandler	LB	165	10
78	Chris Stennis	DT	180	10
81	Jeff Brewer	TE	170	10
82	Anthony Stallworth	WR	160	10
84	Daryl Collier	DB	160	10
86	Carlos Lawson	TE	160	10
87	Clenest Wells	DB	150	10
95	Van Bodden	LB	170	10

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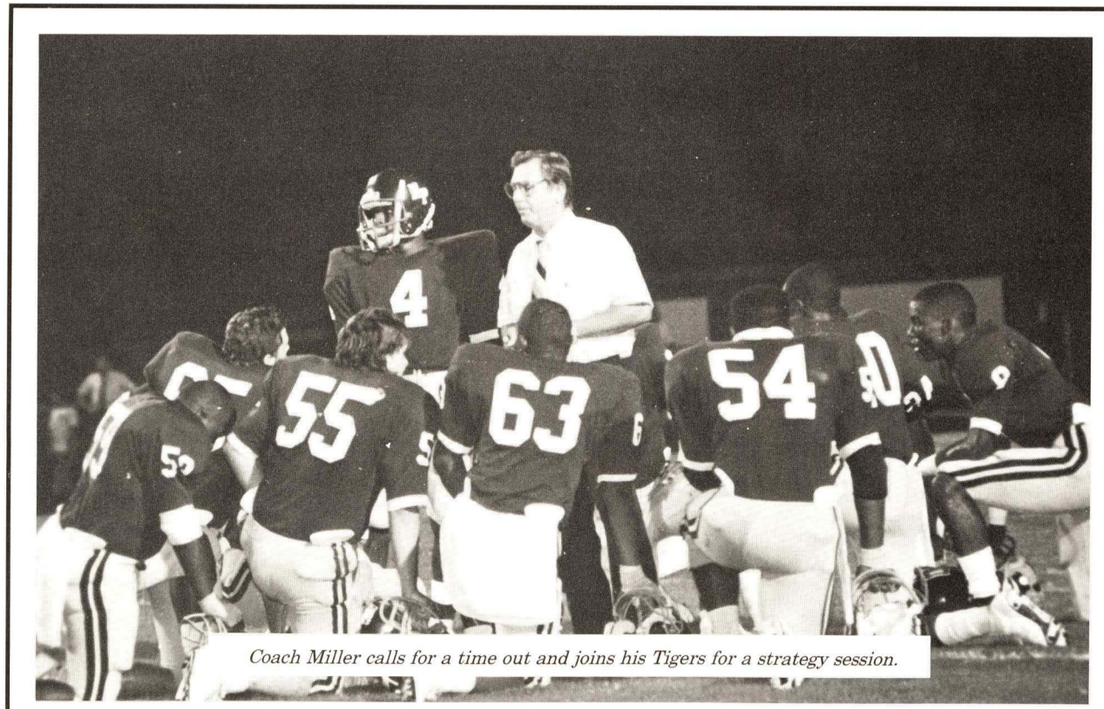
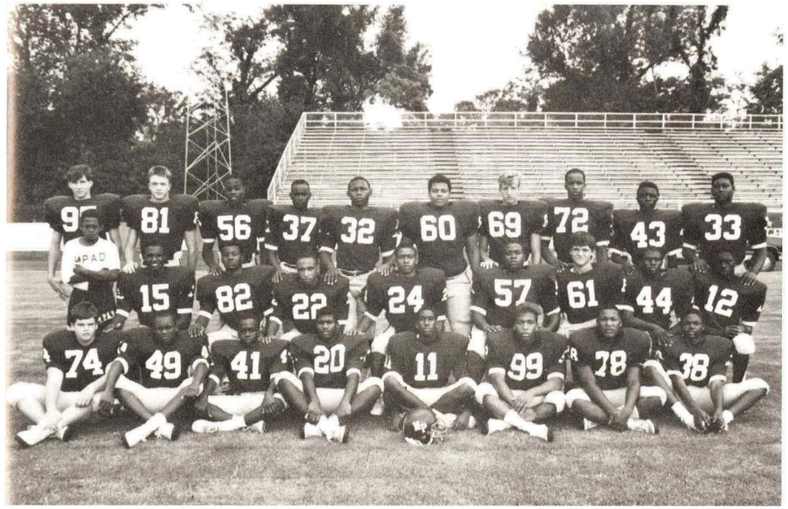
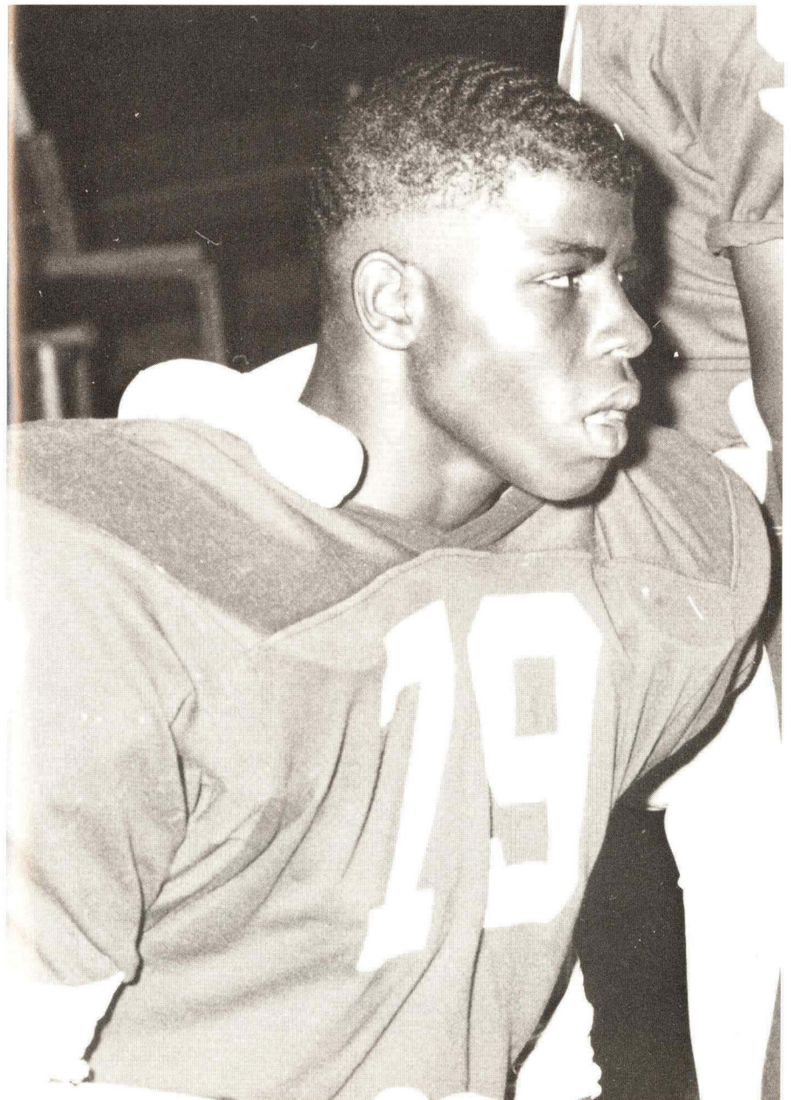


Coach Miller calls for a time out and joins his Tigers for a strategy session.



The 1988-89 Sophomore Tigers.

Coaches: Luther Kuykendall, Head Coach-Billy Miller, Pete Faccini, Bill Lee, Kenny Hudson and Jackie McCorvey.



VARSITY FOOTBALL

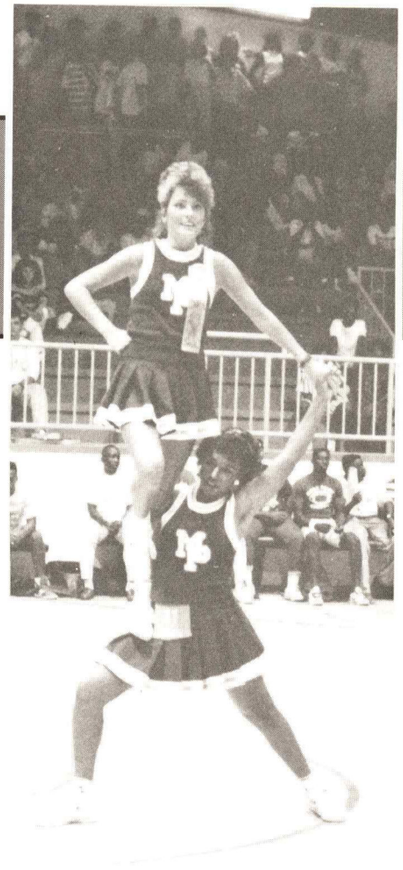
Davidson	21- 0
Murphy	6- 7
Hattiesburg	14-14
Biloxi	19- 9
Pensacola	16-15
Harrison Central	20- 2
Ocean Springs	27-29
Gulfport	23- 9
Meridian	17-20
Pascagoula	6-31
Meridian	13-28

Even though injured, Cedric McCants keeps his mind on the game.

The football cheerleaders have worked hard this year in supporting the football team. They gave it their all as they cheered on the Tigers. Last summer they attended the Elite Cheerleading Association camp where they brought home several awards. They received three superior ribbons, two excellent ribbons, and a spirit stick.

"It has been an exciting year for me and I encourage others to try out for the squad."
— Natisha Roberson

Senior Cheerleaders Bonnie Miles and Tiffany Chestang help get spirits soaring during the pep rally.



FOOTBALL CHEERLEADERS

Kristi Turner
LaMonica Paige
Shelley Dowdy
Tiffany Chestang
Catrina Walker
Bonnie Miles
Nani Hollimon
Jennifer Browning

Captain
Lisa Holyfield
Co-Captain
Natisha Roberson

The Cheerleaders showed that Tiger Spirit while riding in the opening day parade for the new Moss Point High School.

How do you spell dedication? Try C-H-E-E-R-L-E-A-D-E-R

"All I can say is that it has been an unforgetable experience."
— Pam Pickett

The basketball cheerleaders kep their spirits high as they cheered the teams on to a number of victories. While attending Elite Cheerleader camp, they were awarded with several honors.

The basketball cheerleaders have worked hard this year to make Moss Point High School look great. They painted signs and sold ribbons to help support the teams.

Tiger cheerleaders show their dedication throughout all the games.

Phyllis Braxton helps keep spirits soaring during the game with Stone County.

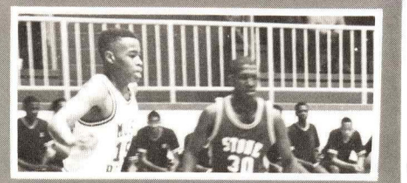
BASKETBALL
CHEERLEADER SQUAD

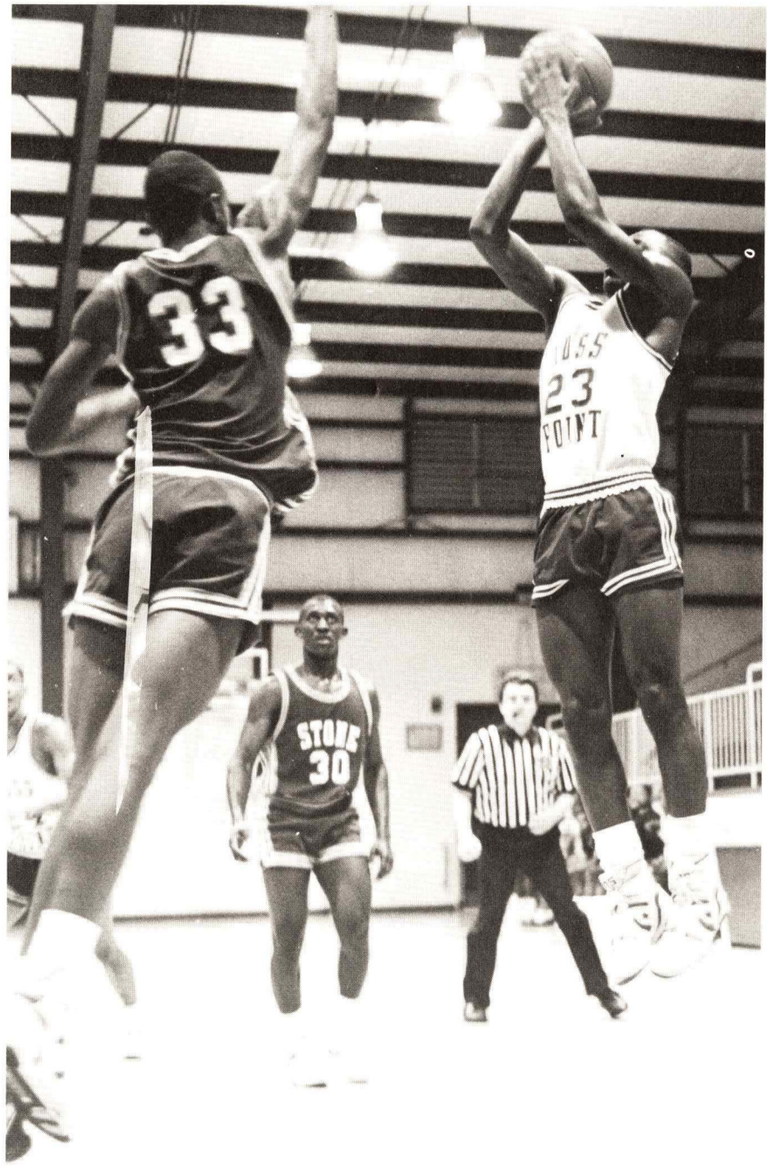
Catrina Walker
Pam Pickett
Eleria Nettles
Veronique McCorvey
Samaradak Downs
Phyllis Braxton

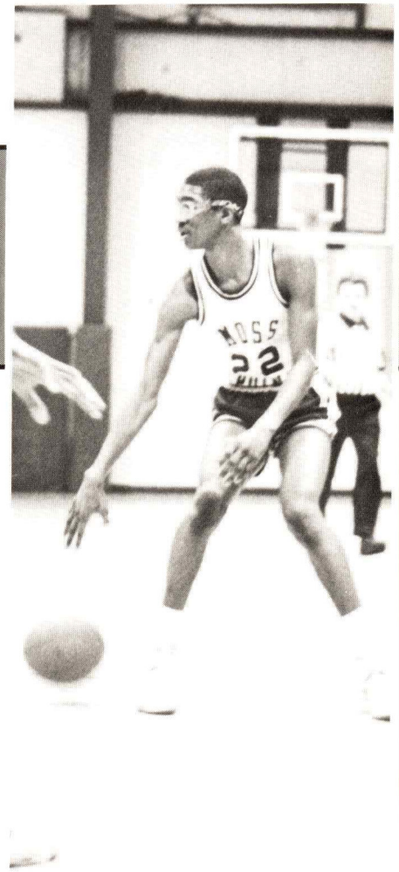
Not pictured
Tonya Smith

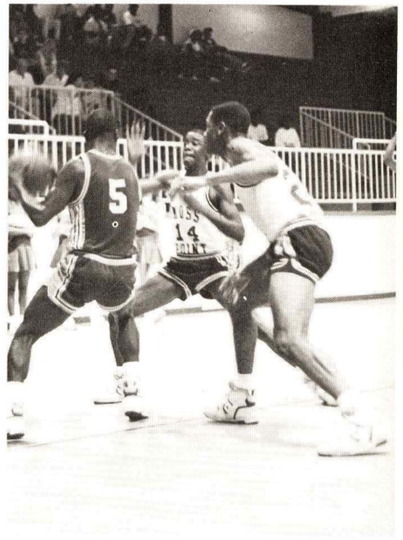
Ezell Johnson looks around and plans his strategy as he dribbles the ball down the court.

"I play basketball because it is an interesting sport, and it makes me feel good about myself. Someday basketball might become beneficial in my future."
— Melvin Booker





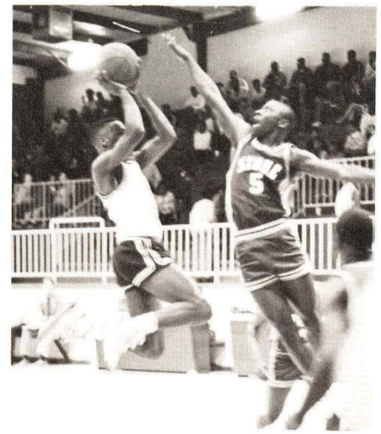




Roderick Stewart and Tobie Letlow work hard to get the ball away from the opponent.

Marcus Sipp shoots a long shot from the outside of the court.

Reaching for the rim

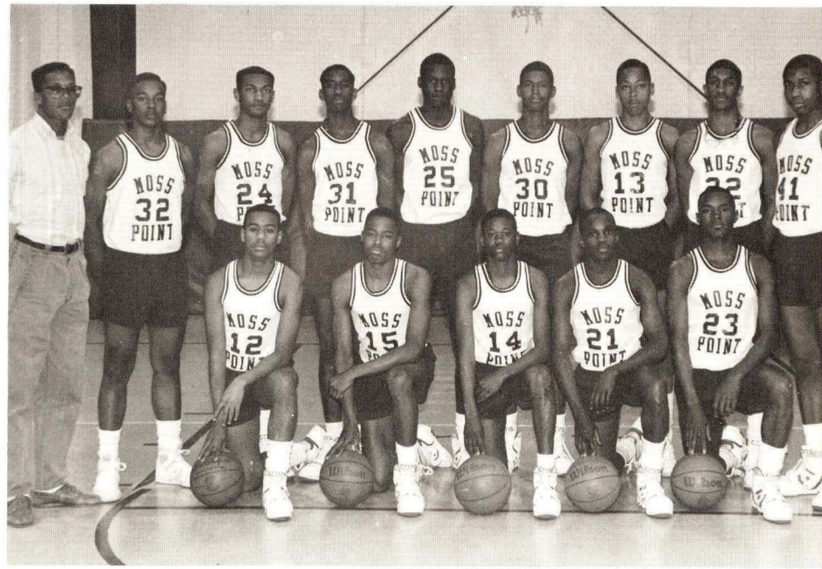


The Tigers go up for another two points.

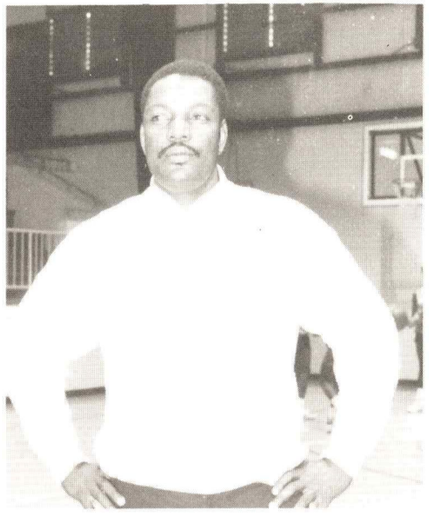
Howard Lewis is under pressure by the Stone County guards.

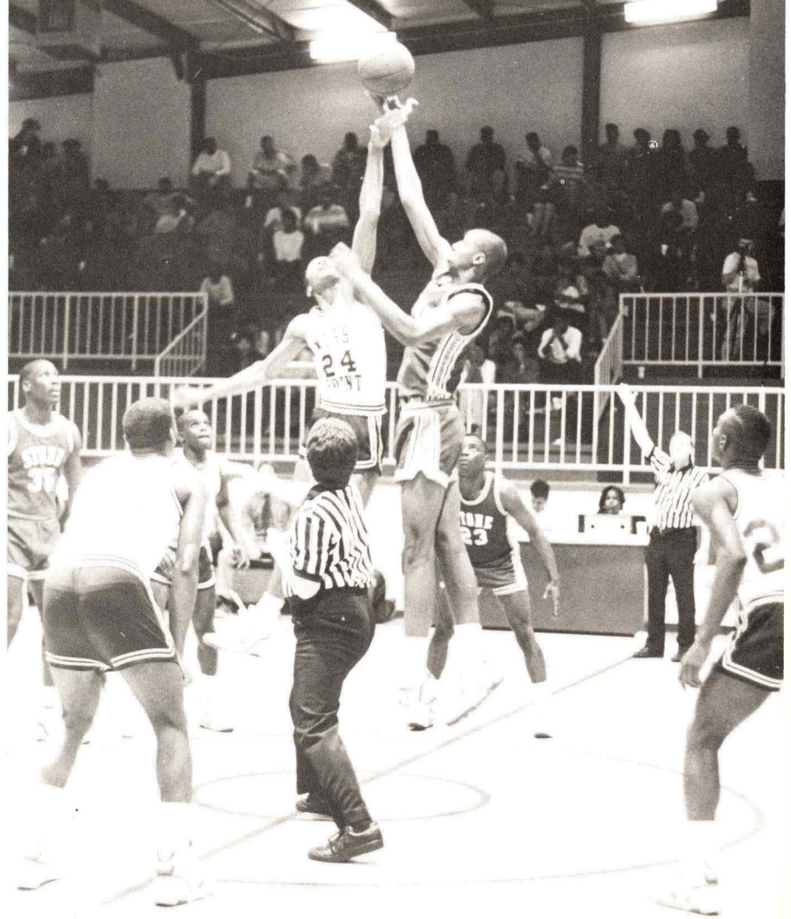
VARSITY

Derrick Sabino
Gabriel Wiley
Tobie Letlow
Derrick Taite
Jimmy Cox
Howard Lewis
Marcus Manning
Ezell Johnson
Thomas Love
Adrian Hoskins
Melvin Booker
Roderick Stewart
LaBarron McMillan
Marcus Sipp



Varsity Coach: Arthur Haynes





Tobie Letlow jumps high to get Tiger control of the ball when the game starts.

JUNIOR VARSITY

Rodney Hankins
Joe Alford
Marcus Manning
Derrick Taite
Thomas Love
Gabriel Wiley
Daryl Letlow
Brian Hughey
Gary Miles
Reginald Salters
Benson Street
Roderick Stewart
Byron Woodland
Kevin Keys
JV Coach-Keith Tucker

Shoot to thrill

LaBarron McMillan puts the ball in play.

Roderick Stewart moves toward the goal.

Left: Jimmy Cox goes up for two points.

High on the Tigers

The 1988-89 basketball season was long and tedious for the Lady Tigers. Returning only two seniors, Pam Catchings and Valencia Lett, the younger players were forced to fill some big shoes created by the loss of most of the team by graduation. Even though the nucleus of the team was inexperienced, the team progressed throughout the season. As the year moved along, the Lady Tigers proved to be a thorn in the opposition's side.

Pam Cathings was selected all-district

Game strategy is discussed in the huddle.

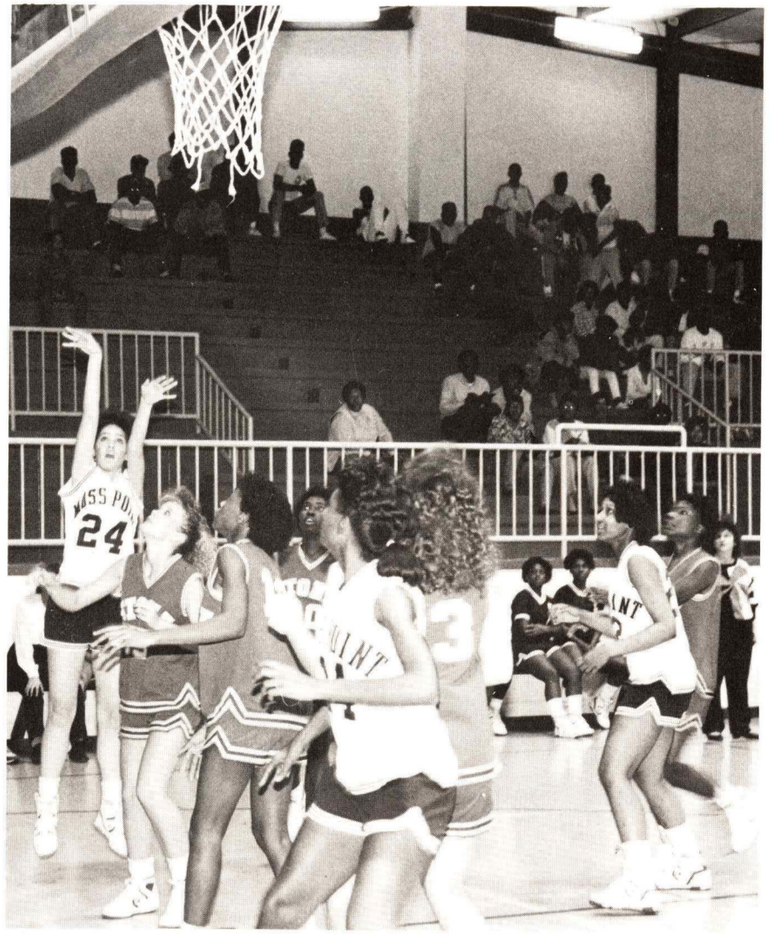
TEAM MEMBERS

Pam Catchings
Valencia Lett
Fiona Johnson
Delana Cunningham
Toni Pettis
Starlett Hutchins
Ingrid Liddell
Fatima Meeks
Erica Poindexter
Urana Stevens
Alisha Coleman
Wykindla Fantroy
Deidre Gray
Nikki Holloway
J.J. Lett

"I enjoy basketball for several reasons. The main reason I enjoy playing basketball is because I hope to become a better ball player and maybe one day I'll receive a scholarship from a major college. Also, it enables me to remain physically fit."
— Toni Pettis

Toni Pettis shoots from the outside.

Coach Brenda Lewis



The lady Tigers wait for the rebound.

Pam Catchings attempts a shot to up the score two points.

Lady Tigers take it all

It was a great year for the Lady Tigers. Among other titles, the girls' softball team rolled its way to the state championship. The championship was the first of its kind in Mississippi's history. In prior years district playoffs were held, but there was never a state level competition. It was a first for Moss Point and a first for Mississippi.

The Lady Tigers paved the way for their success with hard work and dedication. They began practicing during late summer and devoted several hours a day to practice. Running was a major part of their regiment. The team's greatest assets, however, were the players themselves. They were exceptional athletes with talents for the offense and defense.

This past year the softball season was played in the fall rather than in the spring. This put the team playing two seasons in 1988, but it did not stop them from taking it all!

Coaches Brenda Lewis and Alton Joseph gives serious concentration to the game.

LADY TIGERS SOFTBALL	
Vancleave	5- 2
Biloxi	13- 2
Pascagoula	10- 0
Ocean Springs	10- 4
Greene Co	Forfeit
Long Beach	2- 1
Ocean Springs	4- 3
Mercy Cross	10- 0
East Central	12- 3
D'iberville	9- 0
East Central	9- 7
Vancleave	18- 1
Pascagoula	4- 2
St Martin	15- 4
Ocean Springs	3- 0
Biloxi	5- 3
East Central	14- 6
Ocean Springs	6- 4
Greene Co	Forfeit
East Central	12- 1
St Martin	4- 1
Petal	11- 1
Ocean Springs	2- 4
Biloxi	13- 6
Ocean Springs	12- 7
Ocean Springs	4- 2
D'iberville	6- 5
North Pike	28- 5
Long Beach	9- 6
Brookhaven	10- 6
Petal	9- 1
New Hope	5- 4
New Hope	5- 4

Varsity-Erica Hall, Brandi Parker, Dikila Jones, Michelle Fant, Kristi Dunn, Teronda Broomfield, Erica Poindexter, Gladys Coleman, Starlett Hutchings. Nikki Holloway, Julie Watkins, Leigh Hanson, Theresa Baird, and Erica Downs.

"It is a tough and scary job being behind the plate. It takes alot of concentration."

Londa Molden

Junior Varsity: (Front) Koffee Brantley, Flossy Coleman, SanToinette Magee, Dina Ruffin, (Back): Lenore Stallworth, Mary Walton, Nicole Vaughan, Shelly Britt, Leigh Fillingame, Londa Molden, Dedra Grey.

Michelle Fant is ready for anything that comes her way. Concentration is the key.

Urana Stevens pitches to the opposition.

Going the distance

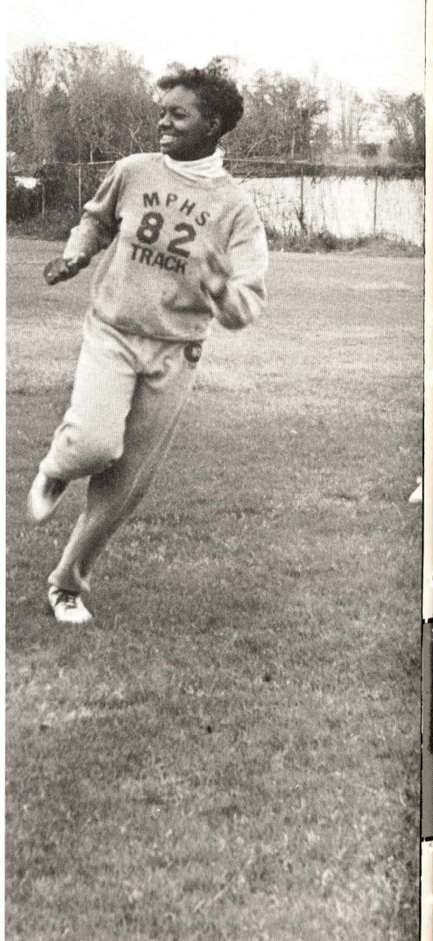
It was another good year for the Lady Tiger cross country team. The seven member team finished 5th in the state meet, 2nd in the Big "8" meet, and 2nd in the district. Two senior team members made the District All-Star team- Felesha Cannon and Cathy Caves. The girls ran a 3.5 mile race over different terrain this year. The boys team consisted of Scott Jensen, Bobby Pruitt and Ron Wilson. Ron made all district and all-state.

Girls cross country coach, Mrs. Charlene Niles.

Junior cross country members are Shannon Redmon, Sharla McCrory and Karen McClain, not pictured.

"Running cross country is relaxing and enjoyable if you don't think about the distance." -Shannon Redmon

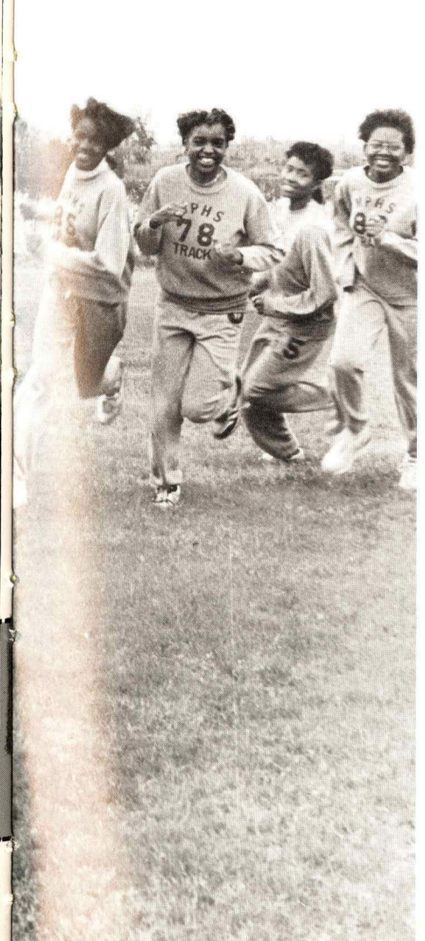
The cross country team members: Princess Davis, Shannon Redmon, Tawanna Woods, Cathy Caves, Sharla McCrory, and Felesha Cannon. Not pictured is Karen McClain.



Princess Davis takes the lead on a practice run.

Cross country distance running takes a lot of conditioning and practice.

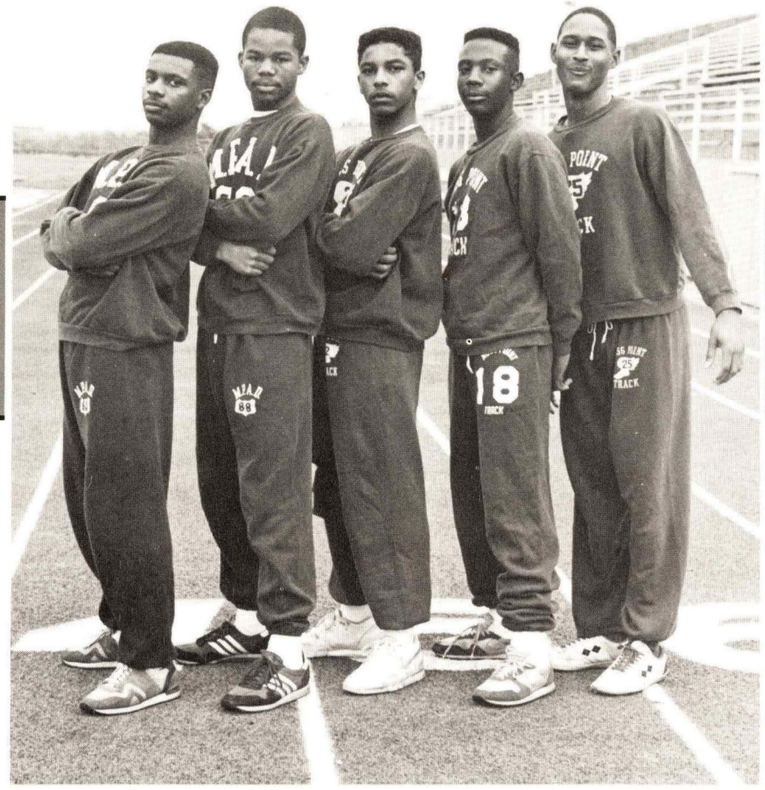
Sophomore track members: Tawanna Woods and Princess Davis.



Ronald Wilson and Scott Jensen take a practice run.

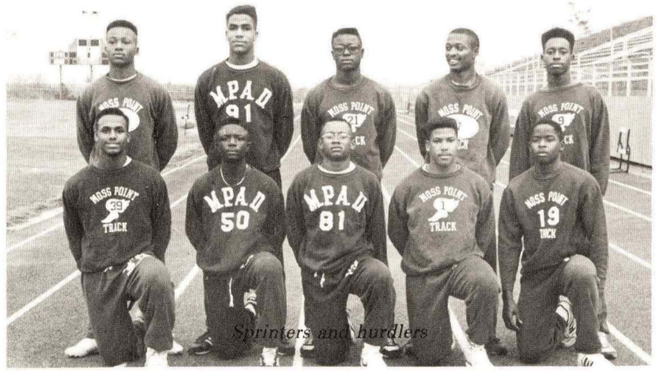
Senior cross country members: Cathy Caves
and Felesha Cannon.

On the run



Distance runners

Tawanna Woods warms up with some leg exercises before she starts running.



Sprinters and hurdlers

TRACK MEMBERS

Eric Kline
Juan Packer
Robert Williams
Kevin Roberson
Ronald Wilson
Emmeett Holder
Donald Williams
Kerry Jones
Leon Williams
Marcus Nettles
Shawn Smith
Richard Kelly
James Royston
Scott Sanders
Rodney Hankins
Charles Brown
Willie Harris
Bobby Pruitt
Chris Williams
Anthony Stallworth
Obedean Crear
Jack Jackson
Richard Hanks
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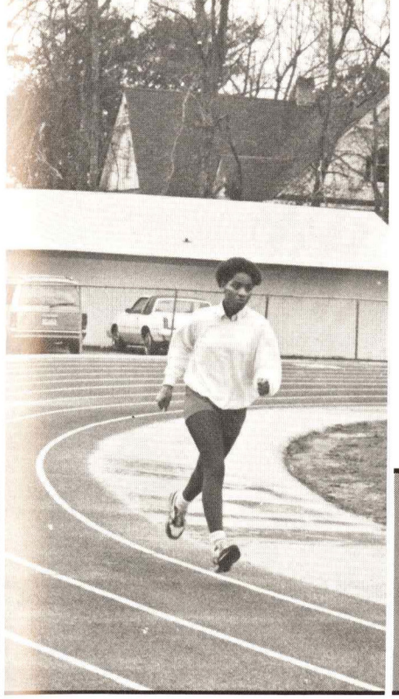


Left-Shannon Redmond takes a practice run on the new re-surfaced track.

Seniors: Kenyatta Smith, Michelle Booker, Clara Morgan, Cathy Caves and Felesha Cannon.

"I enjoy running track to show that I could move my legs along with my mouth."
— Felesha Cannon

Track Members

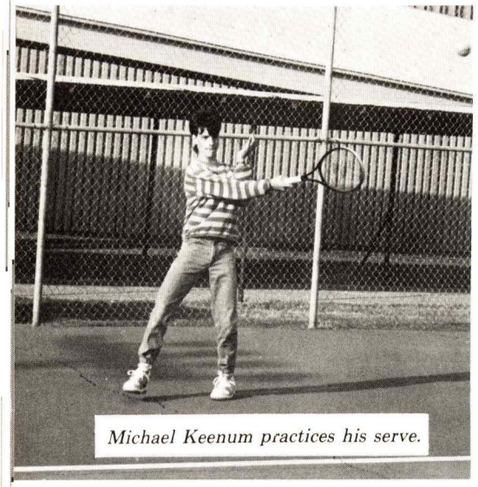
Felesha Cannon
Kenyatta Smith
Clara Morgan
Cathy Caves
Michelle Booker
Tia Washington
Andrea Franklin
Ann Collins
Shannon Redmon
Sharla McCrory
Karen McClain
Princess Davis
Tawanna Woods
Erica Downs
Brenda Williams

Girls Track Team and coaches Charlene Niles and Mildred Graves.

Field Events competitors

Swinging into action

. . . Tennis turf



Michael Keenum practices his serve.

1989 Tennis Team

TENNIS TEAM

Brian Blades
Kendyle Stout
Jeff Walker
Chandra Harrell
Debra Ezell
D.J. Davis
Kenneth Sellers
Dwylett Chambers
Tonya Fountain
Jason Keenum
Michael Keenum
Joel Myers
Chad Wilson
Jonathan Hamilton
Mike Martin
Richard Hanks

Chandra Harrell prepares for practice.

"To play tennis effectively, one must be able to think on his feet, plan an effective strategy, and not be easily intimidated."
— Dwylett L. Chambers

Junior Varsity:
David Breland
Marcus Womble
David Pilkington
Todd Presley
Jonathan Byrd
Daniel Lawson
Jimmy Edwards
Alvin Abney
Vincent Knight
Michael Fletches
John Williams
Chad Thomas
Freddie Green
Elijah Cunningham
Varsity:
Craig Graffree
Alvin Abney
Stacy Stokes
Robert Jackson
Timmy Ehlers
Todd Harrell
Willie Hunt
Eric Blackmon
Sam Hawkins
Scott Eckert
Kevin Boler
Marc Turner
Richie Vick

Junior varsity

Varsity

Diamond Dolls: Kristi Dunn, Jennifer Browning, Lisa Holyfield, Holly Hulbert, Erica Downs, Amy Dunn, Amy Carr, Stephanie Stork, Shelley Dowdy, Bonnie Miles, Nani Hollimon, Sherri Boler.

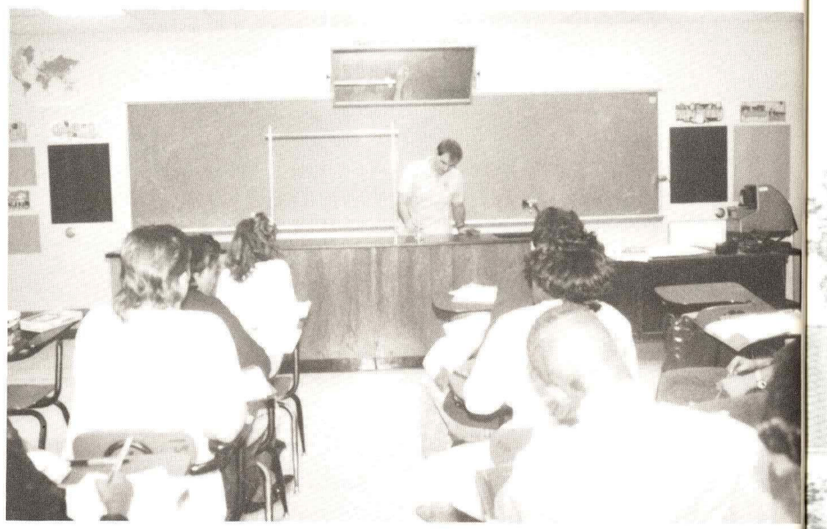
Coaches Scott Sisson and Johnny Zelenka

. . . Baseball boogie

People

. . . . . Sophomores

Well, whoever said you have to claw your way to the top must have been a sophomore! Considered by some as "lowest of the low" and "pests of all existing pests," these timid "sophies" soon got the hang of things. It wasn't long before they were outscreaming the juniors and seniors combined at the pep rallies and composing snappy retorts to any upperclassmen who dared to harass them. When it boils down to it, the sophomores are anxious to get to next year's group.



10th graders watch Mr. Brownlow's experiment.

Nikita Black really gets into the halftime show during a MPHS football game.

Sophomores take several days to learn all the directions to the different classes on campus.

The sophomore class maids ride on the balloon-filled class float during homecoming.

Sophomores in Mrs. Doris Hill's P.E. classes play floor hockey.

Abston, Bridgett
Alberts, John
Andaluz, Mark
Anderson, Becky
Anderson, Carol

Anderson, Willis
Andrews, Demetrius
Andrews, Vernon
Aquart, Michelle
Arnold, Scott

Austin, Eric
Banks, Natasha
Banks, Sean
Barnes, Kathy
Barrett, Sylvia

Beard, William
Belcher, Mark
Bodden, Van
Boler, Shari
Bolton, Terry

Bosarge, Samantha
Brewer, Jeff
Bridges, DeJuana
Bright, Amelia
Britt, Shelley

Broughton, Shamecka
Brown, Alisha
Brown, Diane
Brown, Sonya
Browning, Jennifer

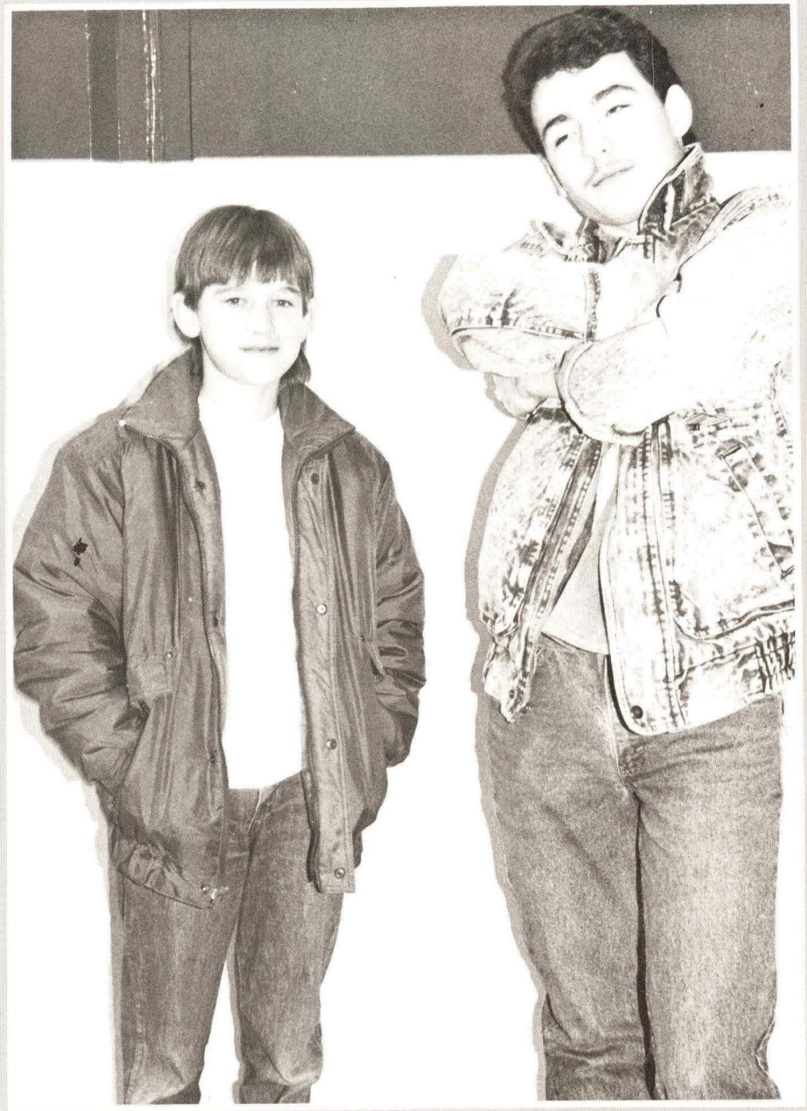
Burns, Katrina
Byrd, Jonathan
Callahan, Pam
Camper, Yolanda
Carr, Amy

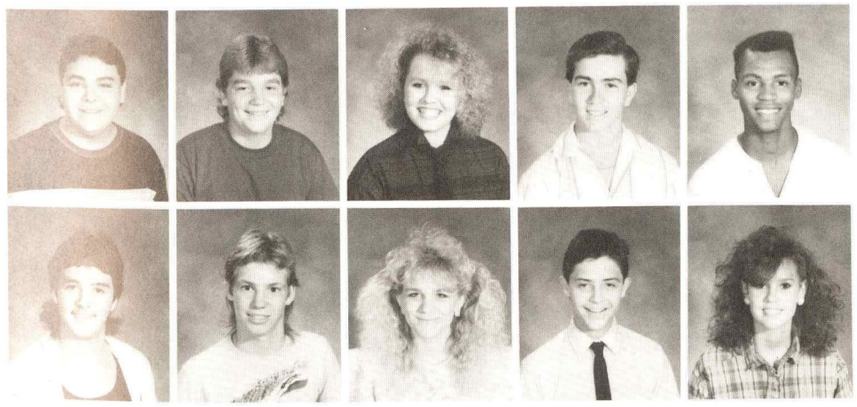
Carson, Adonna
Carter, Derrick
Carter, Kutina
Casto, Kevin
Chatel, Jackie

First Day Jitters

Have you ever had one of those days when you just wanted to hide out somewhere? Well, the first day of high school was probably one of those days. It was the most exciting and nerve-racking days of the whole year for the sophomores. Among the terrors of new surroundings was the joy of old friends. The worries of sophomores on the first day included everything from being late to class to fitting in. But when that day had passed and was looked back on, there was a lot to enjoy about that dreaded first day of high school. There were friends that had not been seen all summer-that meant lots of stories and gossip to tell-and there were new friends to make. there was a new Moss Point High School, hardly recognizable after its face lift, to marvel at. Several new teachers were there to size up, and a new system was there to adjust to. From the alarm clock's ring in the a.m. to the bell at the end of sixth period, the first day of high school was a frustrating day, and it was a relief to have it end.

Jimmy Schiew says he was sleepy on his first day, and Kevin Padgett says he was lost for at least two days!!





Clark, Mitchell
Cochran, Hal
Coleman, Sonya
Cook, Jason
Couch, Willie

Coulter, James
Crews, Brian
Crews, Roxanne
Cronier, Brett
Crook, Stephanie

Never A Dull Moment

The sophomores were always doing something. They showed their school spirit in many different ways. They were rising in all fields: academics, athletics, band, and clubs. The sophomores were always ready to boost the Tiger football players. On pep rally days the sophomores dressed to show their Tiger spirit. They wore tiger paws on their faces and pinned tiger ribbons to their clothes. At three o'clock, pep rally time, they all ran to the gym to get in their places. Mr. Brownlow, as the leader of the sophomore Tiger pack, passed out the noise makers and kept the sophomores in order. The sophomore cheerleaders let them know the "big" word and they screamed it with all their might. The following Monday week the sophomores came back to classes ready to work after the games. They put forth all their abilities to the highest degree. They showed enthusiasm, interest, and aptitude for their work. Through the year, the sophomores never had a dull moment.

Tonya Nettles, Sherita Moore and LaCheryl Hudson seldom have a dull moment.

Crowley, Brandy
Cunningham, Elijan
Cunningham, Stephanie
Darnell, Bo
Daugherty, Regina

Davis, Danny
Davis, Erica
Davis, Princess
Debose, Andre
Deihl, Tracy

Dickson, Charlotte
Dodd, Donnie,
Doss, Michael
Downs, Erica
Dubose, Sean

Dueitt, Cheryl
Dunn, Amy
Dyche, Tonie
Dyess, Nellie
Edwards, Roosevelt

Erkhart, Jenny
Evano, Nikki
Evans, Tabitha
Ezell, Debra
Fagan, Kenneth

Faulks, Thomas
Felts, Robert
Fields, Kara
Fisher, Ryan
Fuller, Lazetta

Fuller, Sonya
Fulton, Brandi
Galloway, Rebecca
Galloway, Tracy
Gasaway, Tony

Gibson, Brian
Glaude, Ryan
Goff, Cayce
Goff, Kimberly
Graffree, Tyrone

Gray, Kris
Green, Charles
Griffin, Ryan
Grube, John
Hackman, Edith

Hales, Tracy
Hall, Kelli
Hamm, Donna
Hanks, Richard
Harrell, Chandra

Harris, Anthony
Harris, Robert
Harris, Tremayne
Harris, Willie
Hatampa, Lily

Haynes, Mikki
Hearndon, Kami
Henry, Lamar
Holcomb, Michael
Horton, Michael

Hoskins, John
Houston, Cartrina
Hudson, LaCheryl
Hughey, Brian
Hunt, Mark

Hunter, Hershal
Hurd, Mondolyn
Hurst, Monica
Hutchins, Sherry
Hutchins, Starlett

Jackson, Jack
Jackson, Marcus
Jackson, Shannon
James, Angela
Jenkins, Dianco

Johnson, Bruce
Johnson, James
Johnson, Recarlos
Jones, Dikila
Jones, Kerry

Jones, Mikel
Jones, Tikila
Keenum, Jason
Keenum, Michael
Keeton, Linda

Kelton, Christopher
Ladnier, Brandi
Langley, Andrea
Lapeyrouse, Michael
Lawson, Daniel

Lee, Alfred
Lett, Alicia
Lett, Crystal
Lett, Robert
Lewis, Angela

Liddell, Derrick
Love, Thomas
Lucas, James
Lynn, Carolyn
Lyons, Alex

The Wise Fools

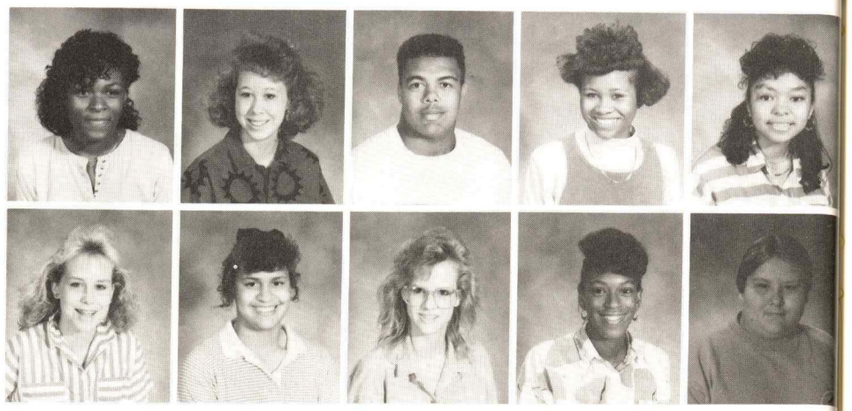
What exactly is a sophomore? The word sophomore comes from the Greek words Sophos meaning wise and Moros meaning foolish. This is a very accurate name for a group of people who have finished nine years of school, but have never been to high school before and are (for awhile) not quite sure what to do or how to act. They are easily identified during the first few weeks of school by that lost dazed look they wear on their faces between classes. This may be an exaggeration, but the first few weeks of school really were difficult. By the end of the year one could not tell the sophomores from the juniors.

Sophomores overcame hundreds of firsts during the year: the first day at Moss Point High School, the first Moss Point High School football game, the first day with hot food in the cafeteria, the first Moss Point High School homecoming, the list goes on. Many of these firsts we had done before in junior high, but it seemed different, a little more exciting and important, to do them for the first time in high school.

When Elizabeth Spicer was asked, "What does it mean to be a sophomore?" she replied, "It means that I will graduate in two years!".

Marion, Twila
May, Robyn
McBeath, Billy
McBeath, Shaunda
McLaughlin, Ladoris

McCurdy, Erica
McLeod, Angela
McLeod, Michelle
Meeks, Fatima
Miles, Jimmy



Only In My Dreams

When asked, Shelly Tillman and Michael Nelson said they went to dinner on their first date.

Remember your first date. Was it everything it should have been, or was it a flop? We all have ideas about what our first date should have been like, even the guys.

Many, many times first dates turn out to be rather disappointing to both people involved. But if you had a choice what would your perfect first date be like???

With whom would you go:

What would you do:

Now, so as to keep reality and fantasy separated, and to help you remember your first date whether good or bad —

When did you go:

With whom did you go out:

Where did you go:

What did you do:

Millender, Karen
Milles, Gary
Miller, Joseph
Mills, Amanda
Mims, Jermaine

Mitchell, John
Moore, Sherita
Moorer, Anthony
Morrissette, Leroy
Mott, Jim

Myers, Joel
Nelson, Michael
Norris, Linda
Norsworthy, Catina
Orgeron, Marty

Parker, Denise
Pettis, Toni
Pigott, Susan
Poindexter, Erica
Poole, David

Presley, Todd
Price, Jessica
Rankin, Demetrius
Richardson, Marcus
Richardson, Timothy

Riley, Sunday
Riley, Willie
Robertson, Russell
Robinson, Tatanesha
Rogers, Kim

Rogers, Stephanie
Rogers, Tina
Rouse, Angie
Salters, Reginald
Scholl, Jamie

Seaman, Angie
Sewell, David
Shepherd, Davey
Simms, Jason
Sims, Levi

Smith, Mary
Smith Pamela
Spillers, Synndrah
Stallworth, April
Stallworth, Curtis

Stanton, Regina
Stout, Kendyle
Street, Benson
Sylvester, Thedford
Taite, Derrick

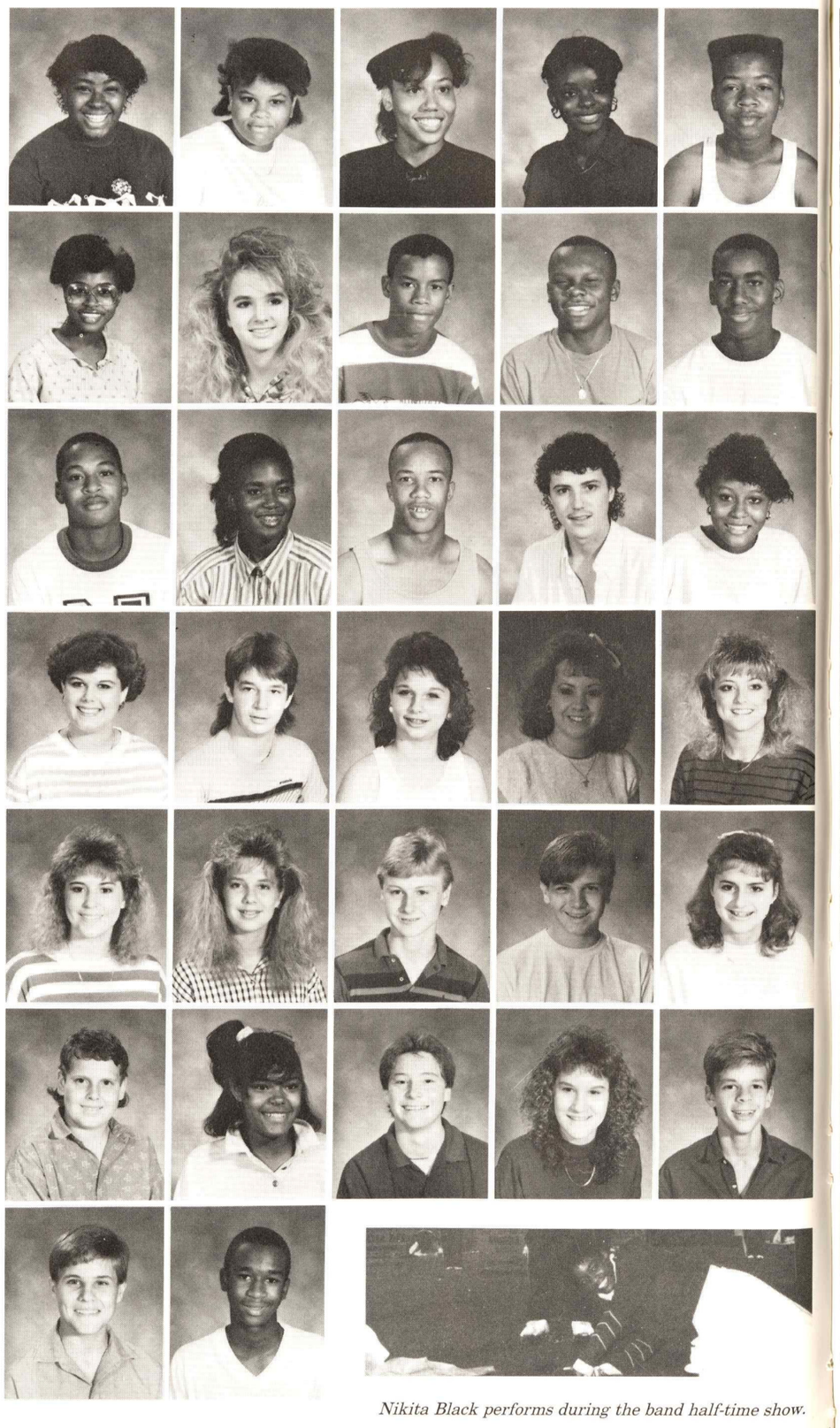
Thames, Reginald
Thigpen, Consuela
Thigpen, James
Thomas, Timothy
Thompson, Yolanda

Tillman, Shelley
Tramel, Michael
Trochessett, Ashley
Turner, Kristi
Vaughan, Nicole

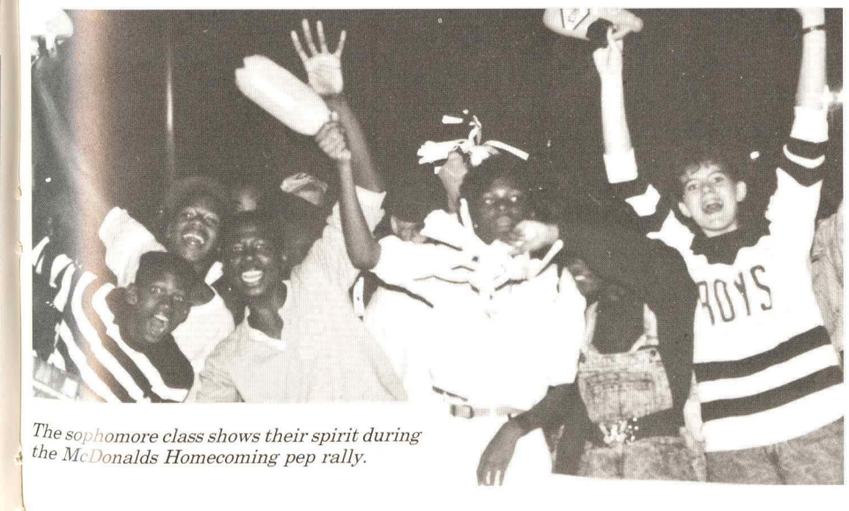
Vice, Mary
Vick, Laurie
Wade, Brian
Webb, Jamey
Weiss, Jennifer

Wells, Brian
Wells, Kimberly
Williams, John
Williams, Marcy
Winsett, Andy

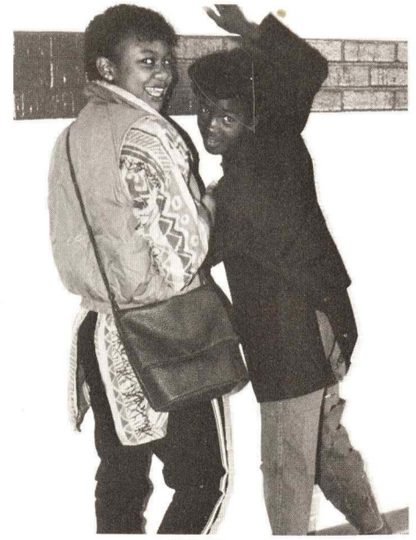
Womble, Marcus
Woodland, Byron



Nikita Black performs during the band half-time show.



The sophomore class shows their spirit during the McDonalds Homecoming pep rally.



Brenda Williams and Tawana Woods dress up for Tacky Day during Homecoming week. Many of the sophomores participated.

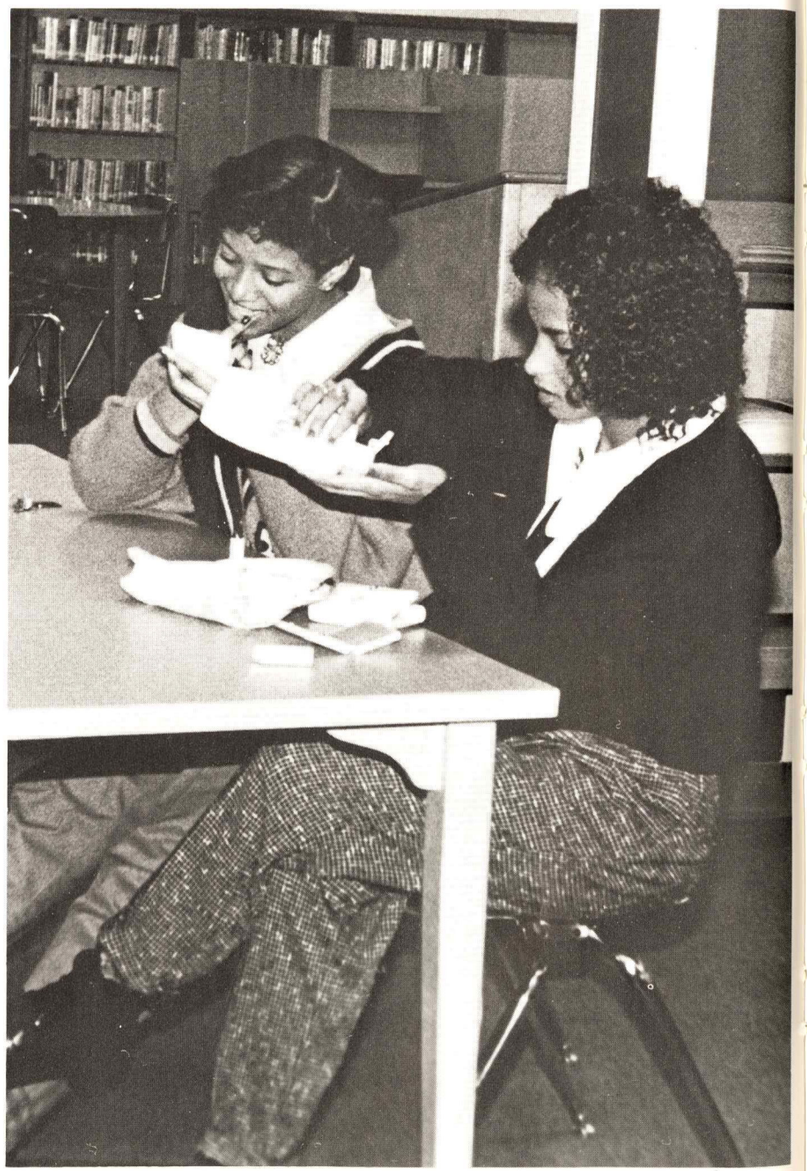
Sophomore Brandi Ladnier clowns around during the MPHS Homecoming parade.

Princess Davis participates in the clown day costume contest sponsored by the cheerleaders during Homecoming week.

Class of '91

Rachel Martin, Joy Trusler and Tonya Hamilton help during registration.

Tanya Cronier and Denise Hadley ride on a decorated truck during the Homecoming parade.

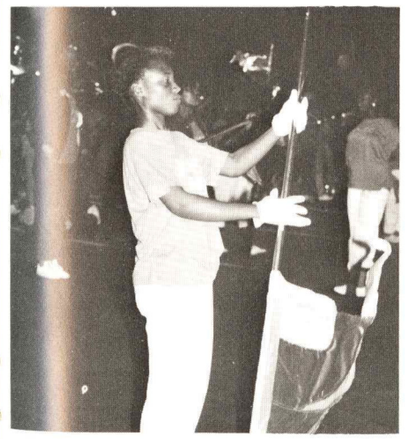


Princess Williams and Angela Liddell take out a few minutes during lunch to get beautiful.

Juniors

Some call it ***the*** *most hectic year. It may not be the* ***most*** *hectic, but the juniors' year was certainly challenging. Not only did they remain spirited throughout the year but they also took the task of planning the junior-senior prom. Not once did the juniors complain but worked diligently to achieve their goal of sponsoring the best prom ever. The juniors felt it was all worth it, because next year they can sit back and watch.*

The ever-spirited juniors had their blue balloons everywhere at the McDonalds pep rally.



Junior Contina Benn gets serious when it comes to performing with the Tiger band.

Kathleen Dunn gets tickled while riding on the Junior Class float during the Homecoming parade.

Abney, Alvin
Abston, Tonya
Allen, Latrisha
Andrews, Dewayne
Anglin, Genny

Armstrong, Calvin
Baird, Theresa
Ballard, Belinda
Baria, Michael
Barlow, James

Batiste, Sharon
Baxter, William
Benn, Contina
Benn, Tony
Bergeron, Eric

Bertram, William
Bickham, Cheryl
Blackmon, Eric
Blades, Jacob
Blankenship, Michelle

Bogard, Paul
Bonnett, Amy
Bonnett, Angie
Booker, Melvin
Bowens, Douglas

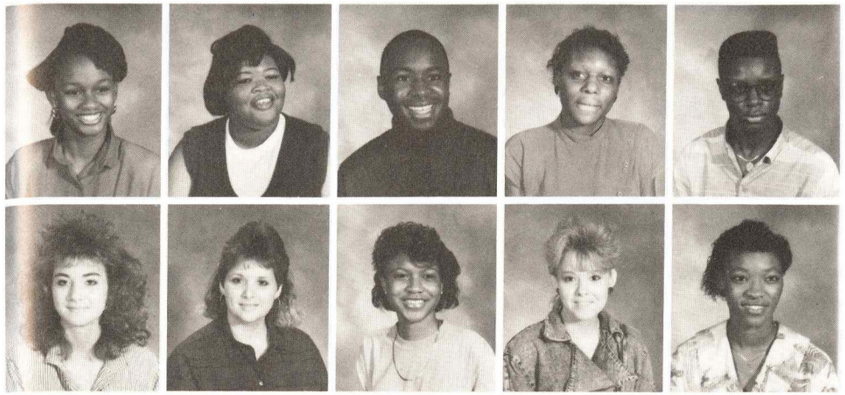
Bradley, Karen
Braxton, Phyllis
Breland, Charles
Broome, Melinda
Brown, Angie

Brown, Anita
Brown, Barbara
Brown, Bernard
Brown, Joy
Brown, Juanita

Byrd, Sharon
Campbell, Charlotte
Canfield, Mike
Campbell, Charlotte
Chambers, Dwylette

Chatman, Angela
Cherry, Latesha
Collins, James
Corley, Tracey
Crear, Obedean

Cronier, Tanya
Couture, Debbie
Cullins, Michelle
Cumbest, Melanie
Cunningham, Chandra



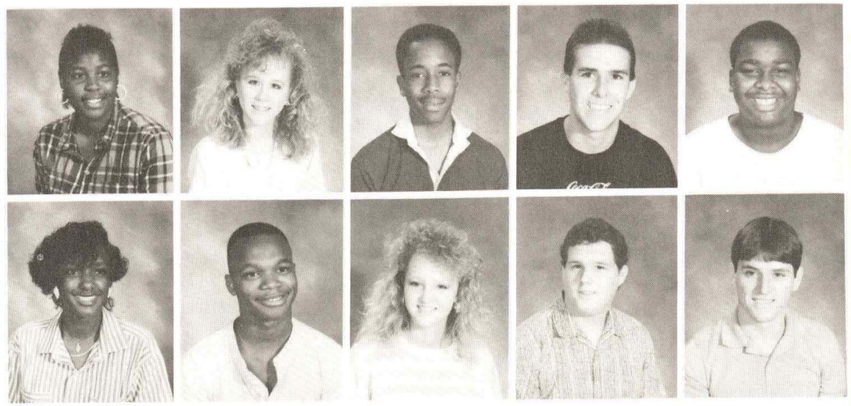
Siblings In School

What did one do to keep their secrets from fellow sisters and brothers during the past school year. Brothers and sisters always tried to make agreements before they got to school: if you do not tell, I won't tell. For instance, a girl kissed her boyfriend and it got around school. Will her brother find out and tell? Also, the brother made an "F" on his nine weeks test, and he changed the grade to a "D". Will his sister tell their parents about it? No, neither told because of their prior agreement. It worked out just right. Having a sister or brother is not all bad and tattletailing. Twins get into trouble together to make everything fun. Identical twins can trade places with each other. Although all twins are not identical, it was fun just being and looking like someone else at school. In twins' opinions, they got along with their mate pretty well this school year. Some people said that they would give anything for a brother or sister in school with them. Others agreed that sisters and brothers are just a pain!!!

Anita and Juanita Brown share many good times at school as well as at home.

Cunningham, Cheryl
Davis, Kristi
Davis, Raymond
Dickerson, Dickie
Dillon, Sean

Doakes, Valarie
Dukes, Bobby
Dunn, Kathleen
Dyess, Devin
Dyess, Frank



Stuck In The Middle

The Juniors were the class that got stuck in the middle; not quite as high on the ladder as seniors, but a little older and a little wiser than the sophomores. Even though they were in the middle, juniors played a vital role in Moss Point's student body. The juniors could in fact have been called Moss Point's heart and soul. While seniors waited in anticipation for graduation and sophomores were still getting oriented, the juniors were full of class spirit.

Juniors began the year glad they did not have to suffer through the trials of being a sophomore again and ended the year contemplating summer vacation and the challenge of being a senior. With the end of the year came the Junior/Senior prom and all the preparations that must go into such a grand affair. From decorations to menus, the juniors were responsible for pulling off this special occasion in honor of the senior class. They are only juniors once and they made it a year to remember for their class and the whole school, a year that is — "WORTH A SECOND GLANCE."

Junior, Wanda Robinson, is caught in the middle of sophomore Tonya Gibson and senior Felishia Hinton.

Eakes, Amanda
Fant, Michelle
Fillingame, Kelly
Fox, Keena
Ford, Cara

Fountain, Jarrod
Free, Melody
Gaines, Terry
Gasaway, Sean
Gholar, Chris

Gill, Elizabeth
Glaude, Linda
Hadley, Sheryl
Hamilton, Jonathan
Hamilton, Tonya

Hand, Georgia
Hankins, Rodney
Hanson, Leigh
Harrell, Todd
Harris, Rose

Harris, Sandi
Havard, Carl
Havard, Thomas
Haynes, Alberta
Henry, Elijah

Henry, Katie
Hester, Billy
Hester, Kim
Holloway, Latanya
Hester, Melinda

Hunnings, David
Holder, Emmeett
Horton, Amy
Nurd, Nicole
Jackson, Lucretia

James, Allan
James, Alfie
Jensen, Scott
Johnson, Elizabeth
Johnson, Fiona

Johnson, Jeff
Johnson, Shavay
Johnson, Tina
Jones, Margaret
Jones, Sasha

Jones, Aleshia
Kasby, Tera
Keenum, Bernard
Keeton, Cartina
Kellum, Stephanie

Kelly, Richard
Kelton, Andra
Keyes, Marcia
King, Lawana
Knight, Vincent

Knotts, Michael
Lamey, Donny
Langley, Anthony
Law, Rhonda
Liddell, Angela

Long, Katrina
Lynd, Chris
Maggard, Richard
Manning, Kelly
Martin, Rachel

Mason, Tonya
Matthews, Dana
McArthur, Neisee
McCain, Abby
McClain, Karen

McCorvey, Veronique
McCrory, Sharla
McDuffee, Kala
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McLain, Gregory

Magee, Precious
McMillan, Catrina
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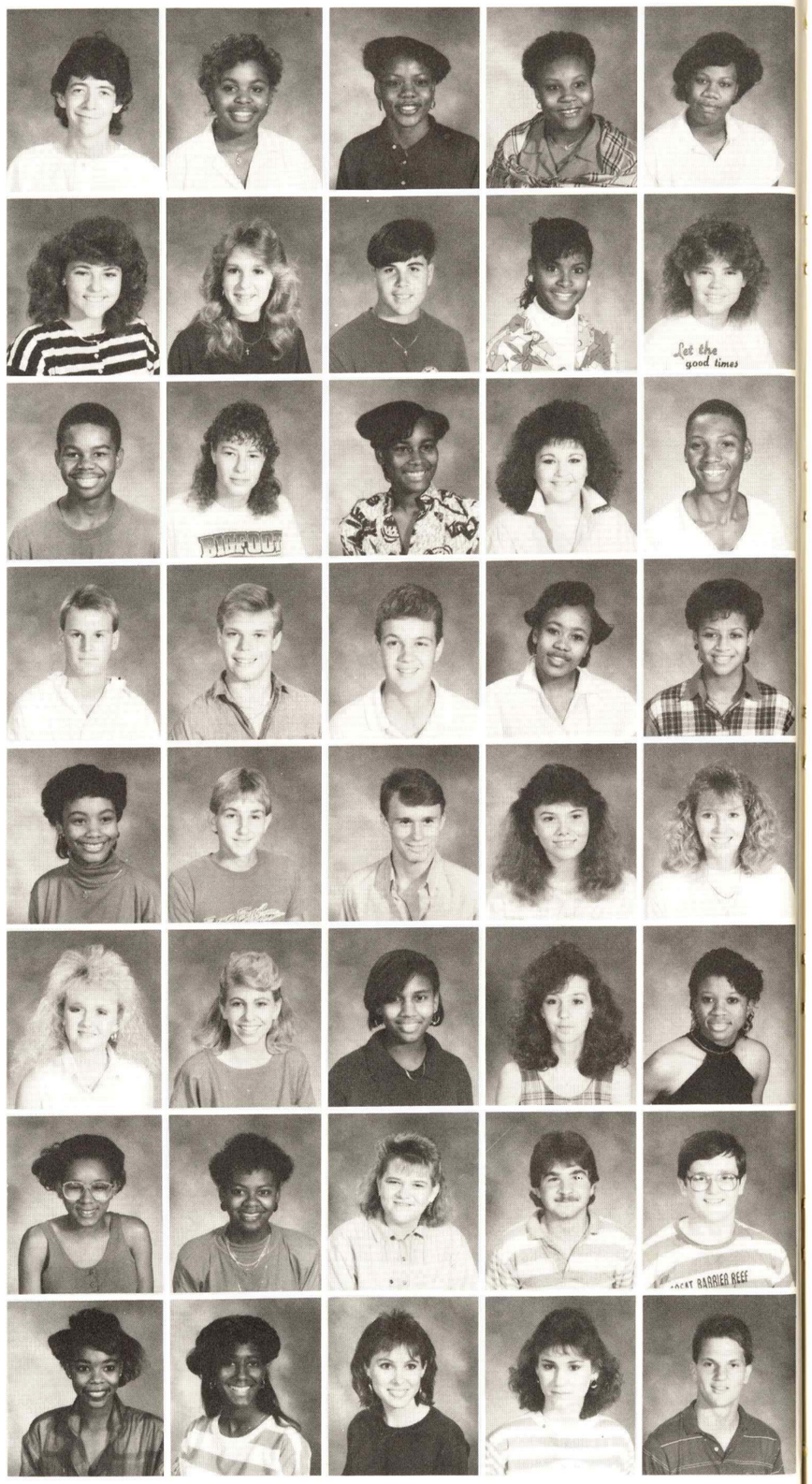
Miller, Robby



Worth Remembering

At the beginning of the school year much time and effort was spent choosing the perfect class ring. One had to choose the styles, the stone and the metal. As the school year came to a close, the rings arrived. Class rings were exchanged as tokens of love and were cherished with lasting memories from high school. When the memories become fuzzy and the pages of the yearbook turn yellow, the class rings will remain unchanged.

My ring style:

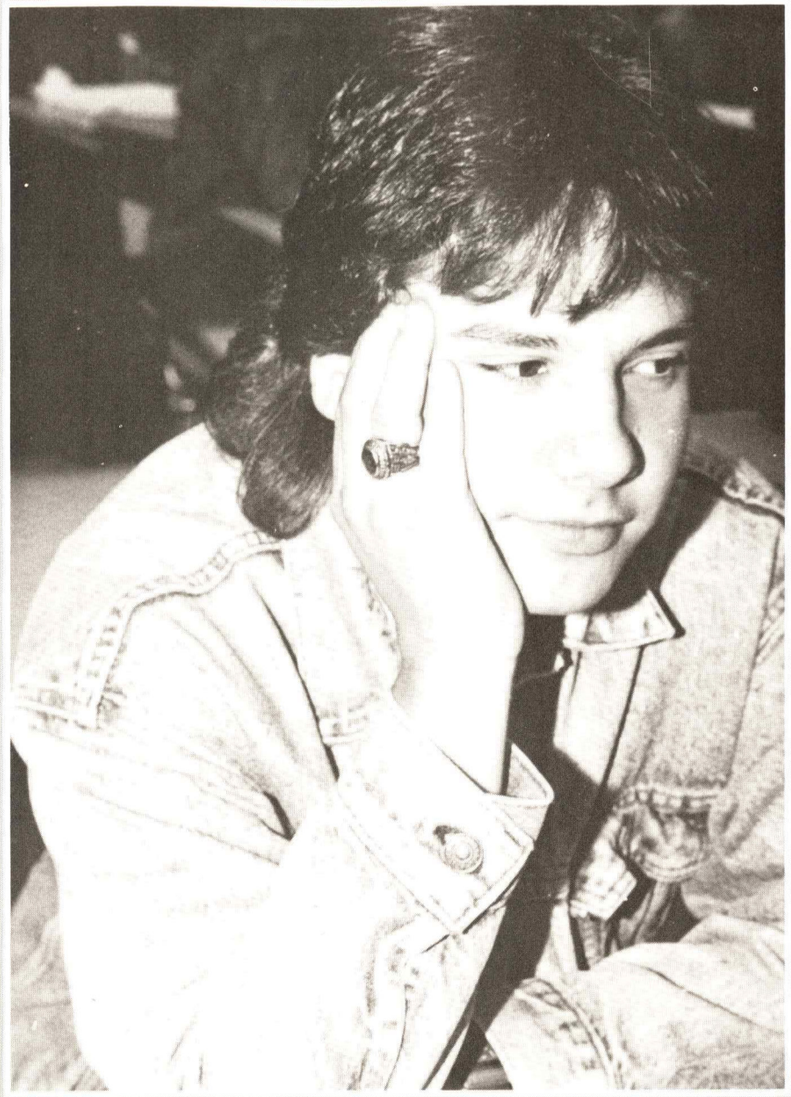
Stone:

Cut:

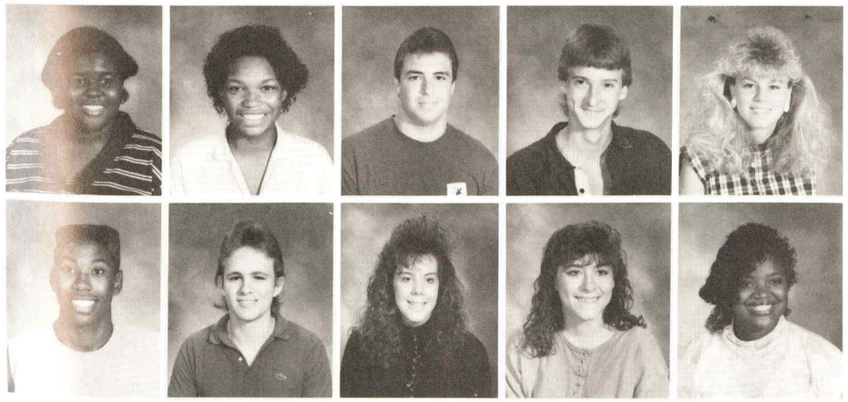
Crest:

Cost:

Other Special Features:



Paul Bogard proudly wears his class ring.



Mingo, Tericka
Monroe, Mary
Moore, Patrick
Morris, Chris
Myers, Hope

Nash, Dennis
Neese, Lavon
Parker, Amber
Parker, Brandi
Parker, Kimberly

Parker, Jody
Parker, Kimberly
Parks, Diane
Phillips, Schledia
Pickett, Pamela

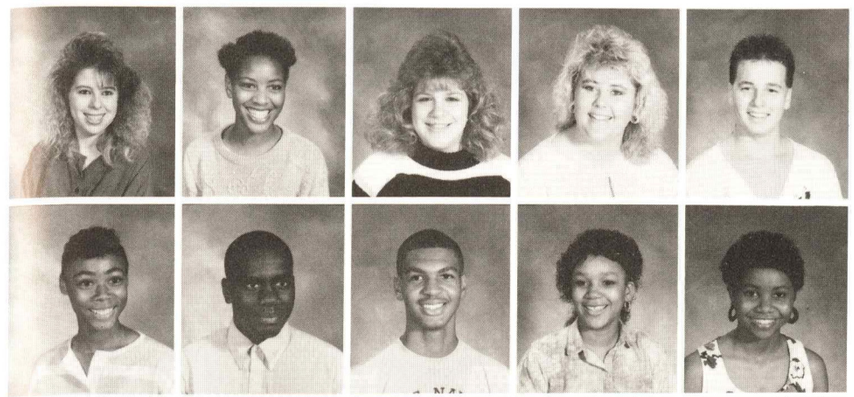
Plummer, Bryan
Polk, Jennifer
Pope, Jennifer
Presley, Steve
Price, Denise

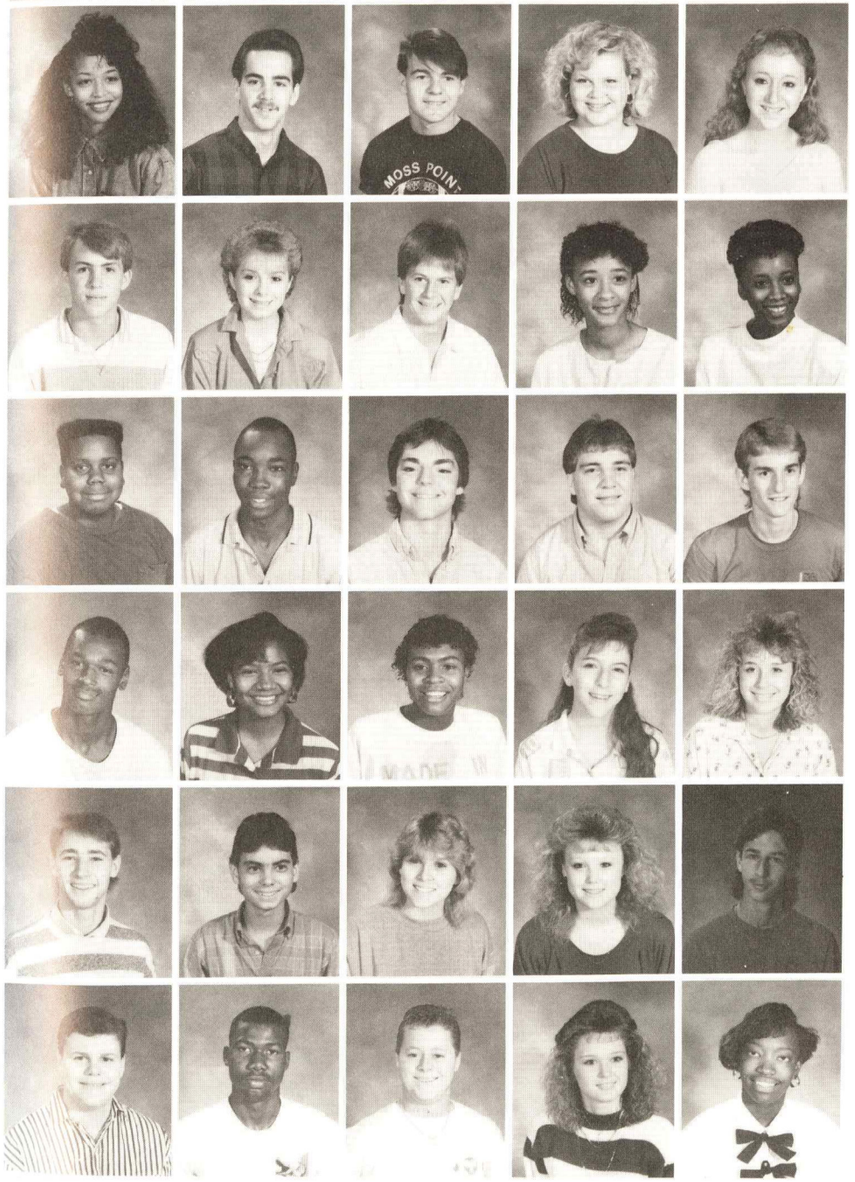
Perils Of Passing Notes

One of the greatest occupations of students at Moss Point High School was passing notes.

Notes were as important as newspapers and telephones. Notes passed included the latest gossip and current happenings. Teachers were well informed from the notes found and taken up. It took a creative mind to decipher those ever-pop ular codes that teenagers knew so well. Not only did students write coded messages, but they also found interesting ways to pass those notes along. Notes were placed in books, notebooks, purses, ends of pens, on shoes, thrown across the room, and the common way — from hand to hand. Let's not forget the distraction method: on the way to the pencil sharpener, the garbage can, or the teacher's desk a note was passed. But, most teacher's weren't fooled by those methods. They just turned their heads. This went to prove that the students weren't as slick as they thought they were.

Elizabeth Alvarez has no idea that anyone sees her pass a note to Letricia Allen.





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Redmon, Shannon
Rice, Jennifer
Richards, Terri
Richardson, Bradley

Richardson, Jennifer
Richardson, Jeremiah
Riley, Dominick
Riley, Tracey
Roberson, Natisha

Robbins, Marcye
Rodgers, John
Royston, James
Sanford, Michelle
Scholl, Candy

Scott, Shannon
Simpson, Stacy
Sims, Lewis
Smith, Angela
Smith, Mary

Smith, Tim
Steele, Kelly
Sumrall, Michael
Taylor, Merle
Taylor, Sam

Thomas, Johnny
Thomas, Lakenya
Thompson, Gatric
Thorne, Pam
Thornton, Robin

Thornton, Roy
Toncrey, Anthony
Trubee, Missy
Trusler, Patricia
Turner, Eric

Turner, Marc
Vaxter, Robert
Vice, David
Vice, Kristi
Walker, Tamara

Walker, Tyesha
Walley, Rebecca
Walton, Aurealia
Ward, Vivecia
Washington, Tia

Watt, Sharon
Watts, Tonya
Webster, Shelia
Wilkerson, Doug
Williams, Donald

Williams, Julius
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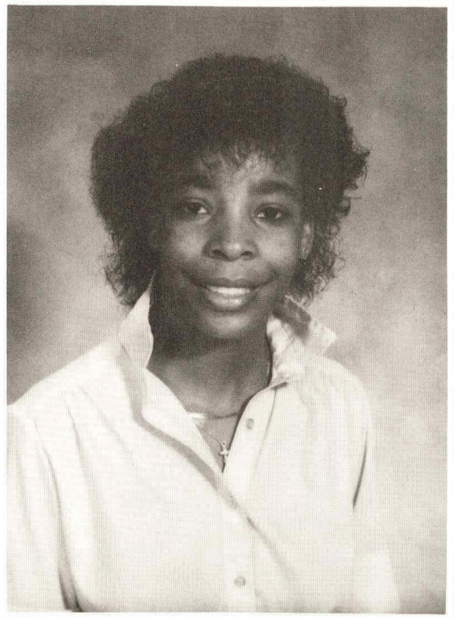


Lisa C. Middleton

In Remembrance

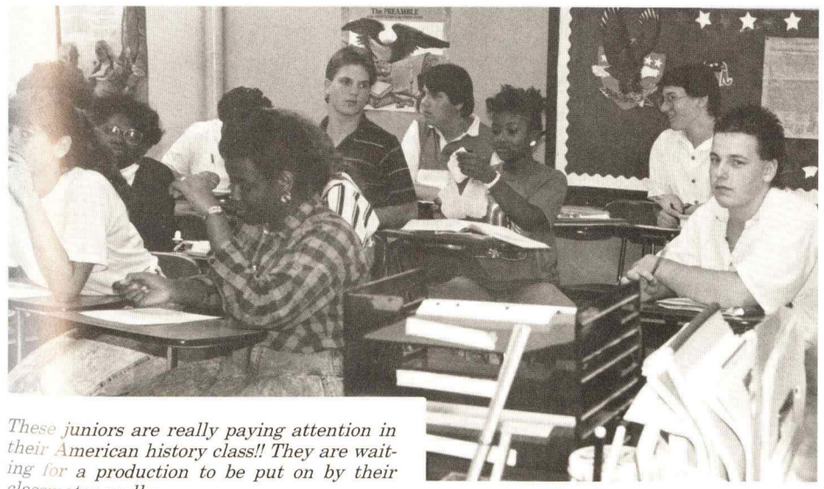
LISA C. MIDDLETON, 16, OF 5400 WIONNA DRIVE, MOSS POINT, MISSISSIPPI, DIED SEPTEMBER 27, 1988, AT THE SINGING RIVER HOSPITAL FOLLOWING AN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT. SHE WAS BORN JUNE 23, 1972 AT SINGING RIVER HOSPITAL.

SHE WAS A FAITHFUL MEMBER OF THE SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH, A MEMBER OF THE JUNIOR CHOIR, THE YOUTH DEPARTMENT, AND A JUNIOR MOSS POINT HIGH SCHOOL. HER MEMORY WILL BE CHERISHED BY HER FRIENDS AND FAMILY.

Juniors, Amy and Angie Bonnett are just one of the sets of twins at Moss Point High School this year.

The junior float portrays a Meridian Wildcat and a MPHS Tiger battling it out.

The juniors showed their spirit at every pep rally and won the spirit stick just about every week.



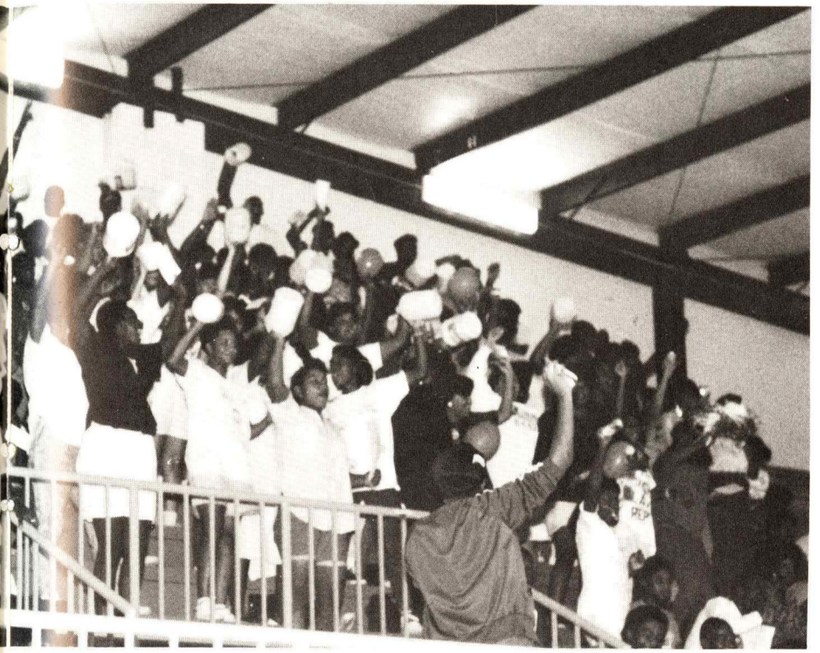
These juniors are really paying attention in their American history class!! They are waiting for a production to be put on by their classmates really.

Class of '90

Seniors

It a senior was asked what makes this year so important, their answer would most likely have something to do with their long awaited graduation. This year is the climax of eleven years of hard work and determination. For some, the goal was not as easily achieved as it was for others. Now, however, everyone is at the same starting point and where or how the race called life ends is up to the individual.

1989 senior maids on their float.



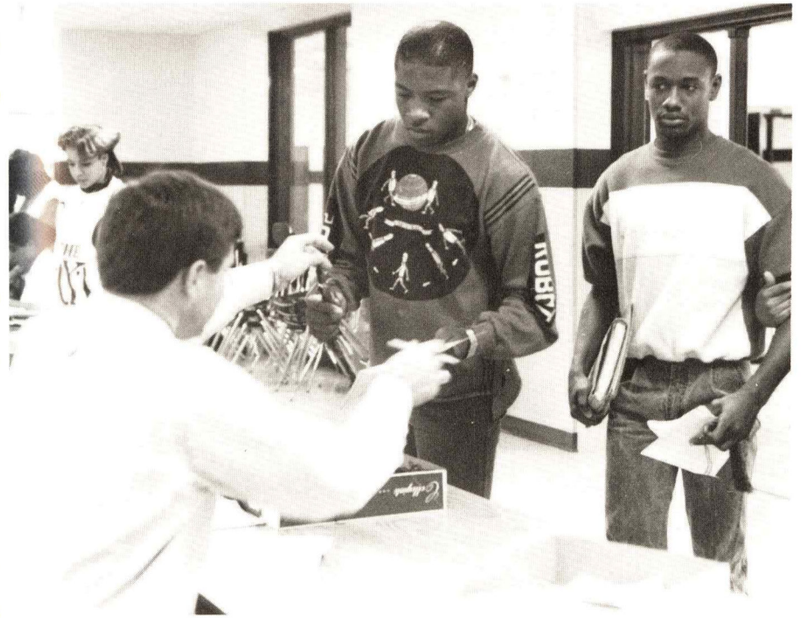
The senior class participates each week in the spirit competition at the pep rallies.

Kristi Miller and Ginger Copeland participate in the homecoming parade.

Antonio Eatmon and Cedric McCann pick up graduation invitation order forms.

Jason Green presents Mrs. Polk with a corsage on the opening day of school.

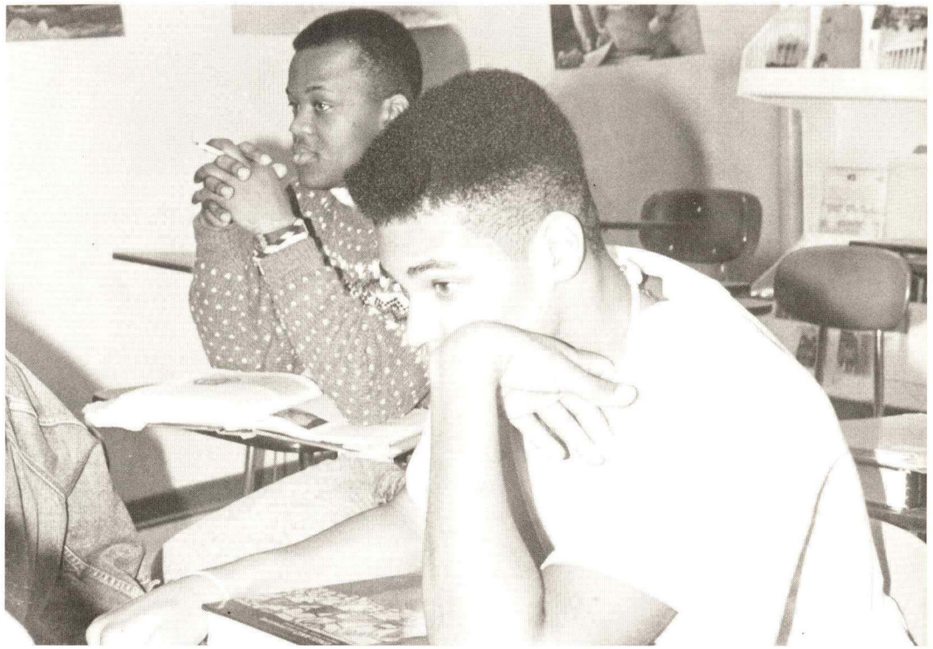
Zena Burr works on the senior float.

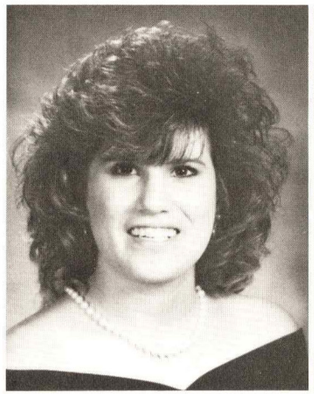


Senioritis!!!

According to Webster's a senior is someone accorded respect or distinction for his or her age, but when SENIORITIS strikes Webster's goes out the window.

About the end of second semester, seniors' attitudes changed. Homework and tests didn't seem to matter anymore — only graduation!





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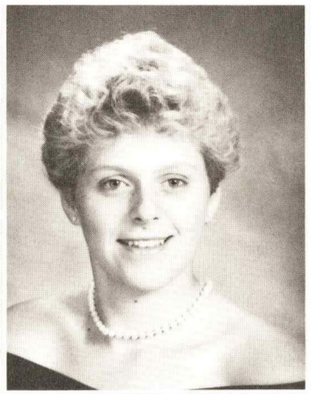

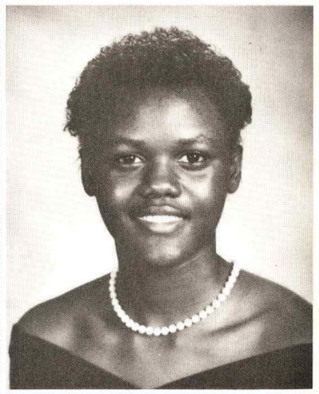

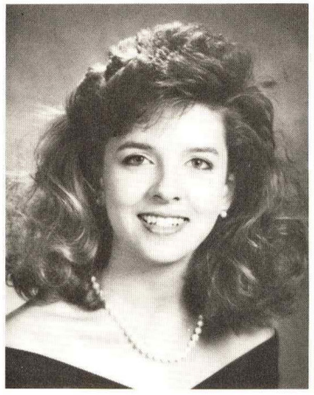

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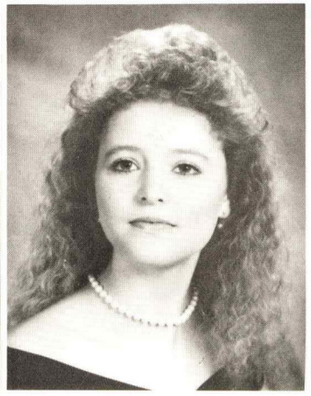

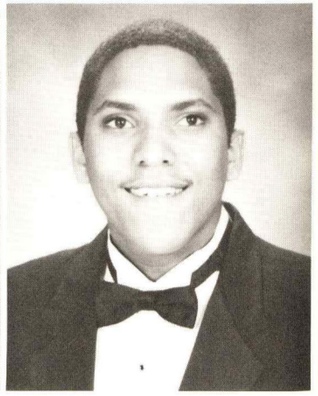

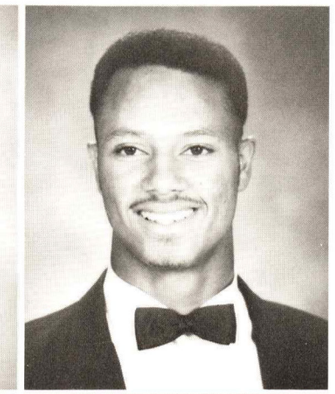

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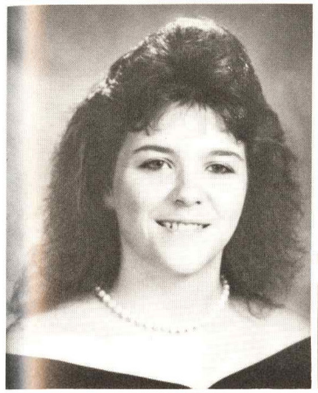

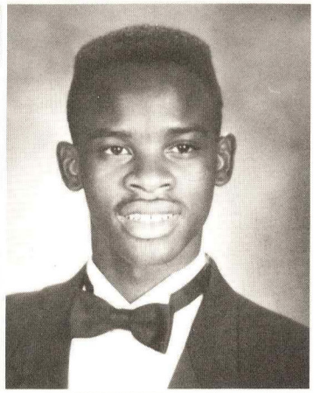

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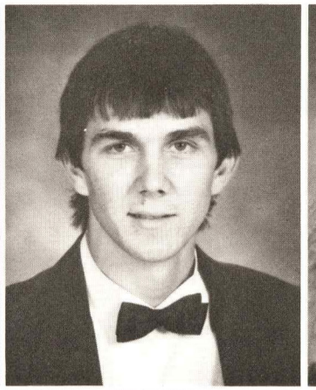

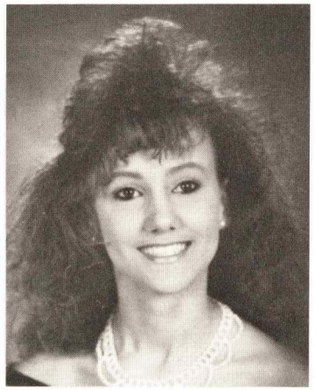

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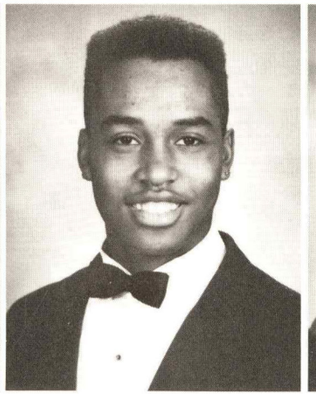

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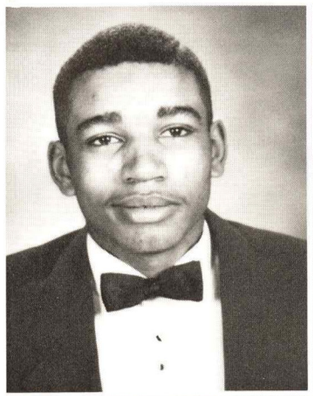

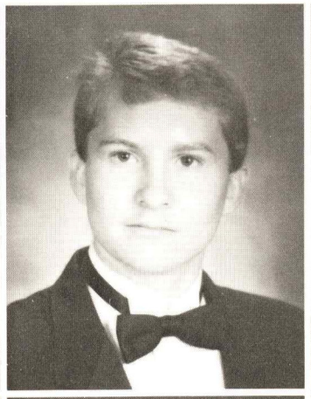

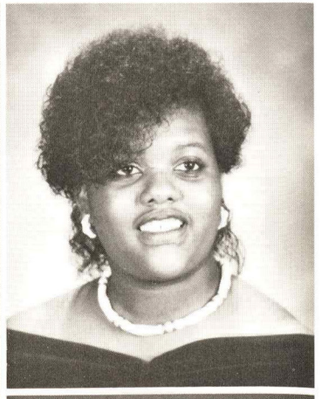

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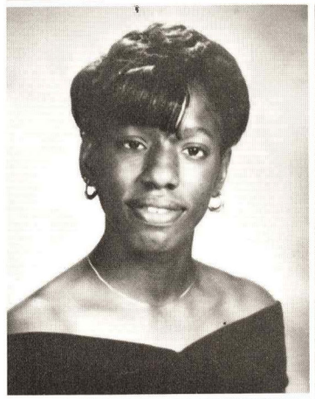

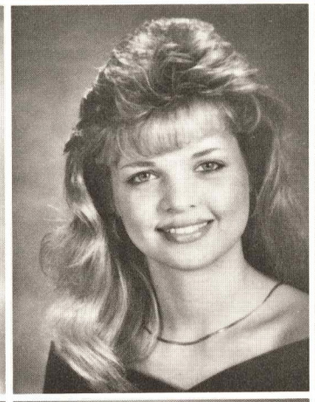

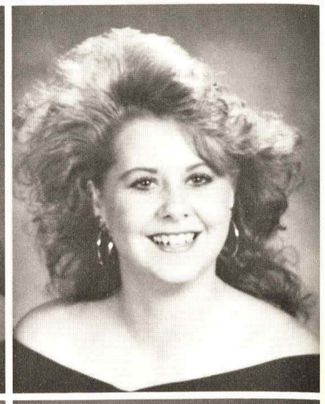

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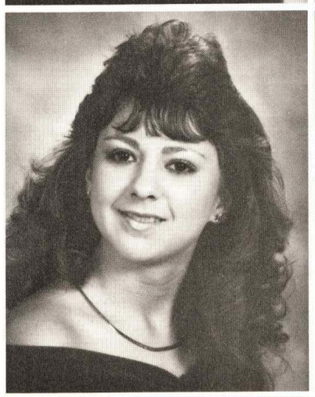

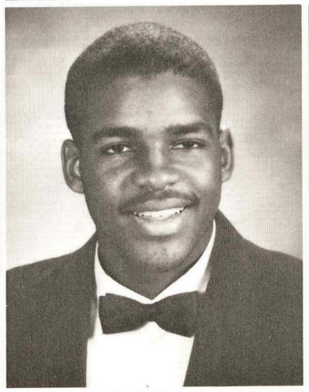

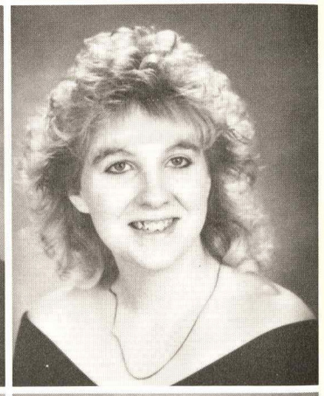

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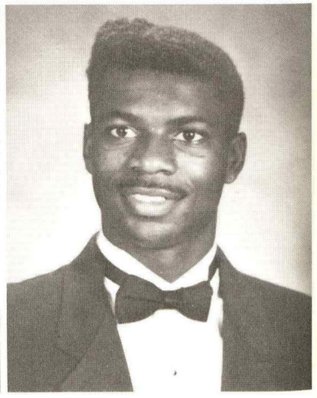

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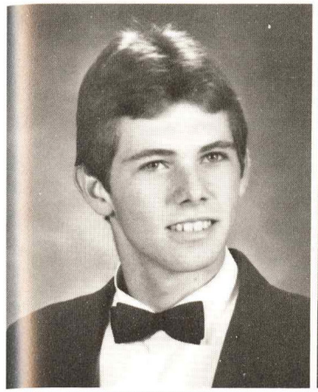

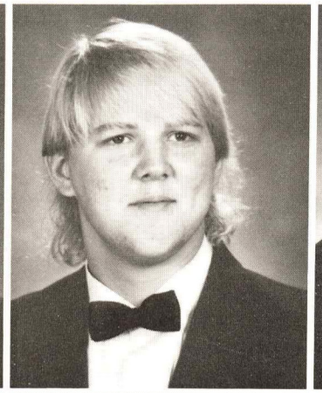

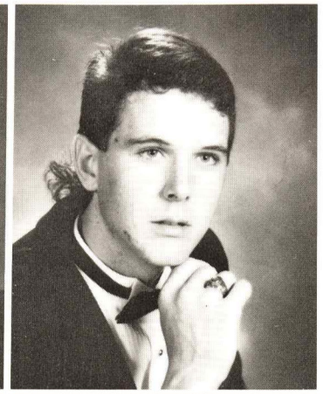

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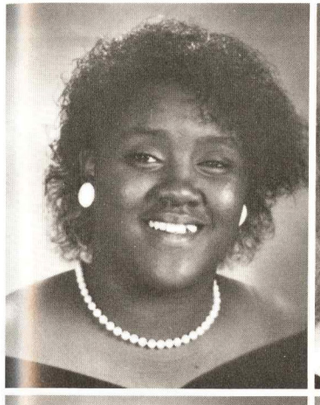

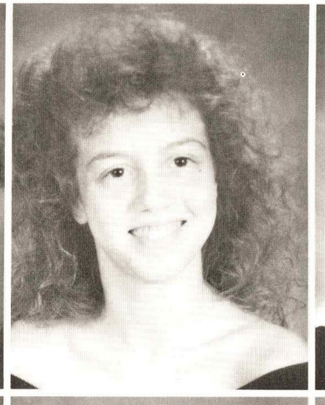

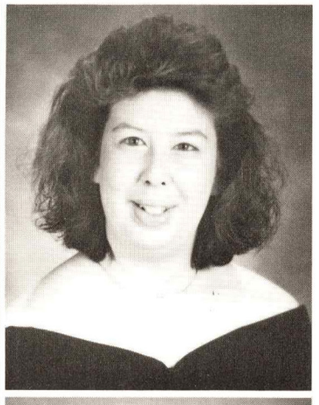

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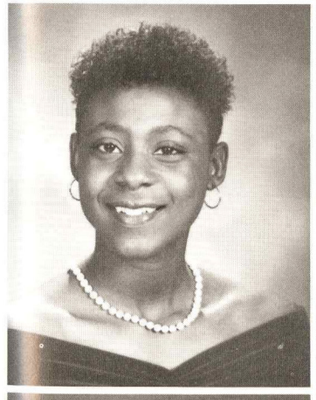

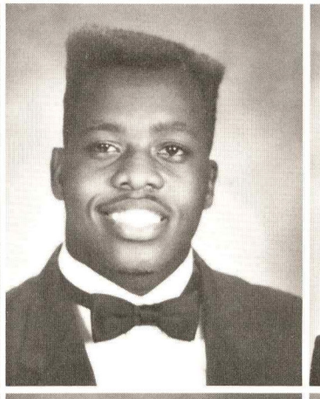

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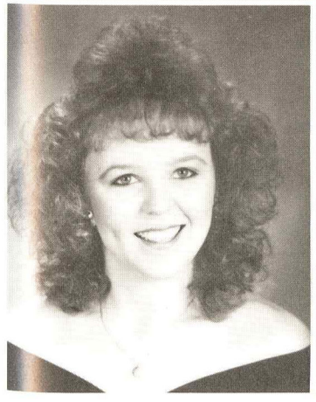
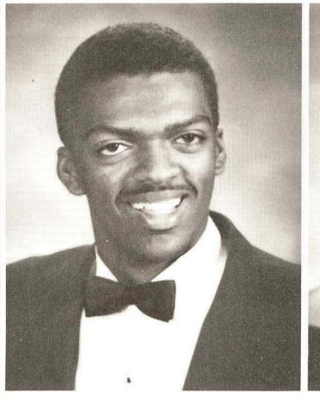
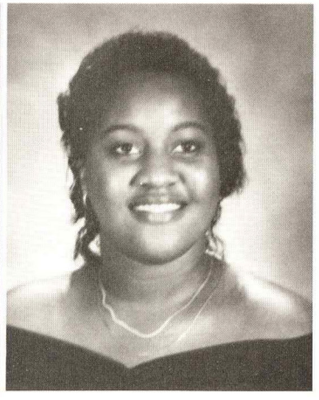
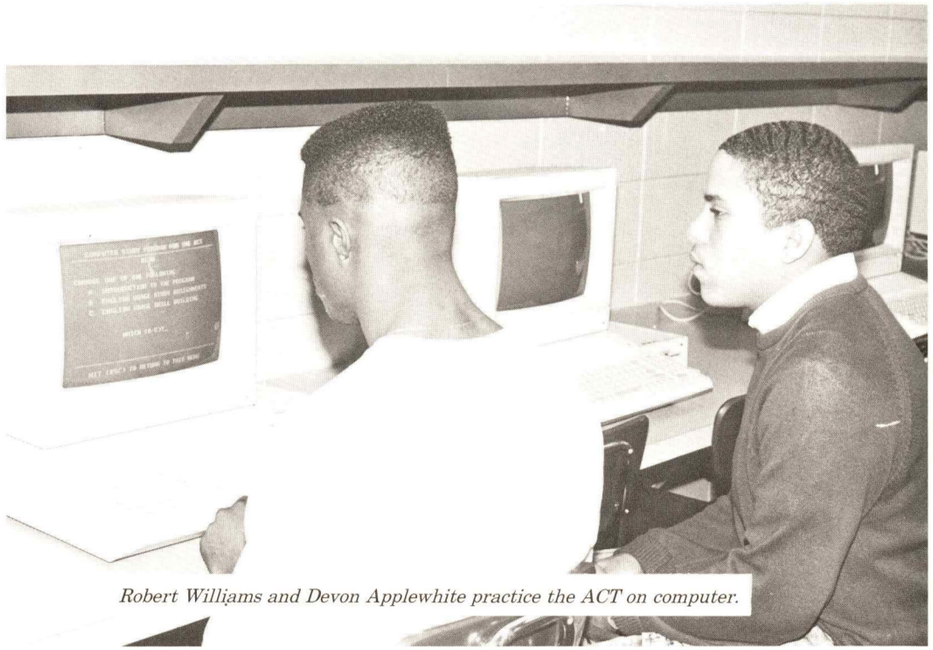




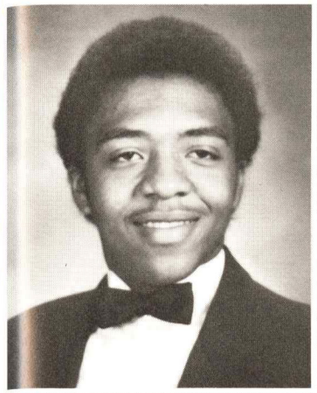


A Class ACT

The A.C.T. was an ordeal that every senior who planned to attend college had to go through. Some spent hours preparing, while some never cracked a book. Test day came and went. Three hours were spent stretching brains to the limit. But that was the easy part. The hard part was waiting a month to see the results. Finally, a sign on the guidance door said, "the ACT scores are here."



Robert Williams and Devon Applewhite practice the ACT on computer.



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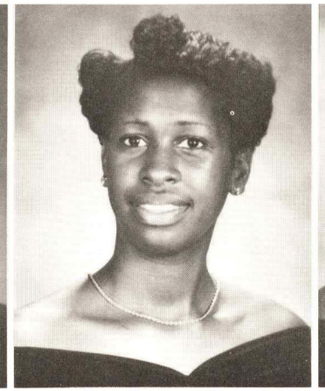

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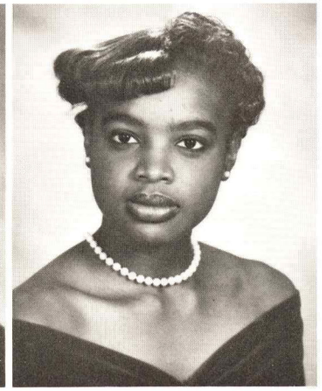

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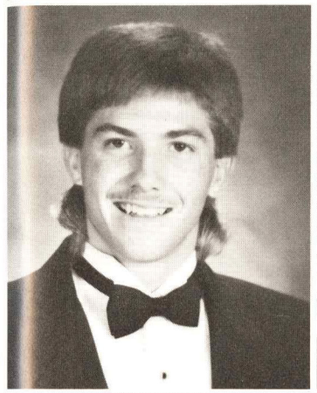

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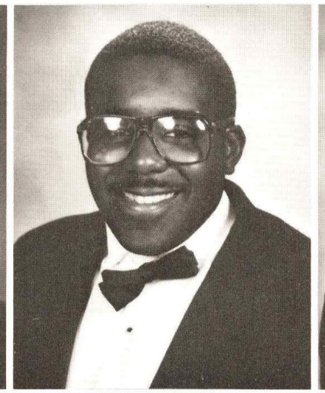

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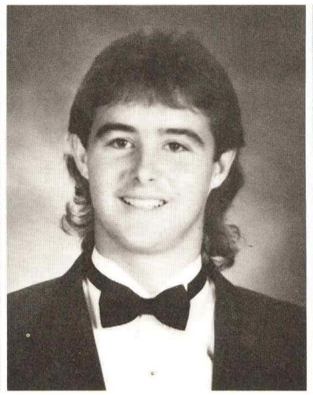

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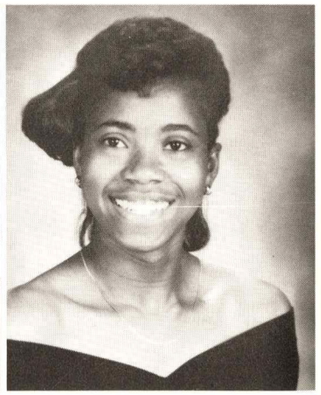

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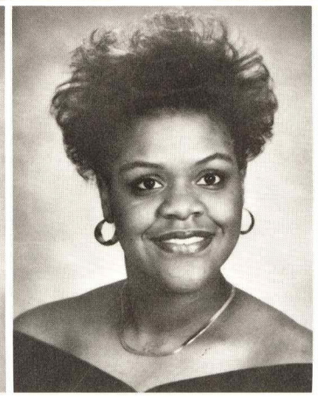

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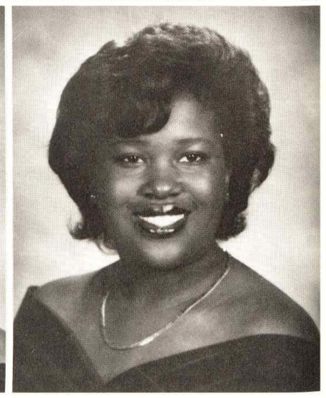

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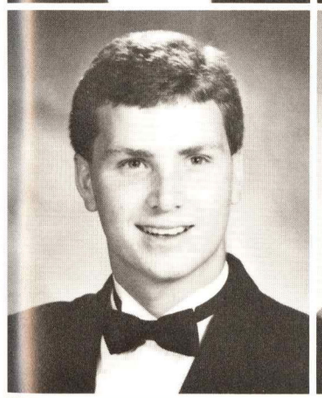

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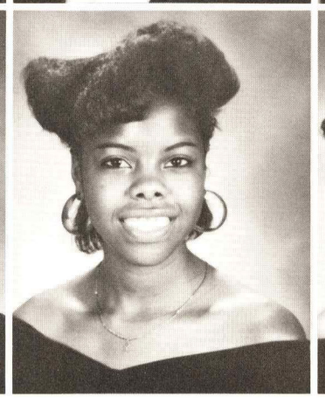

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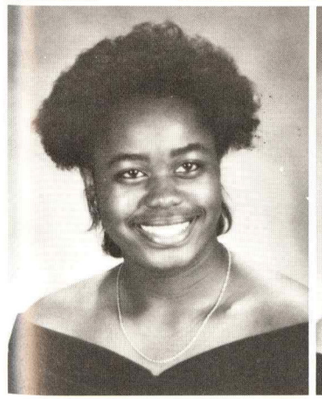

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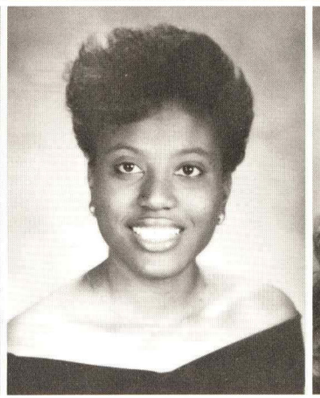

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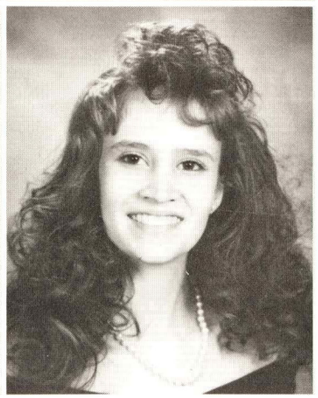

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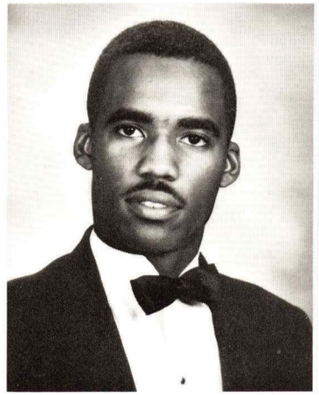

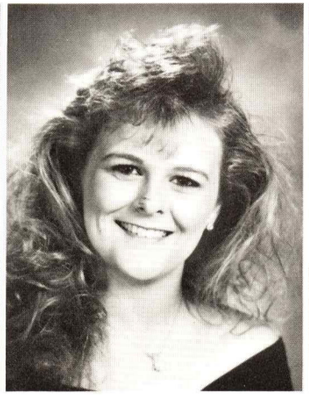

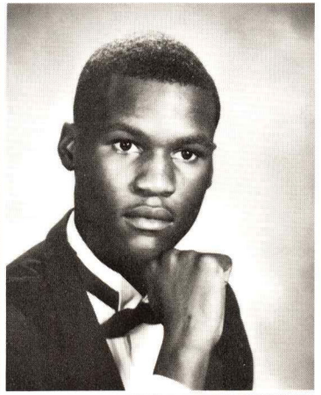

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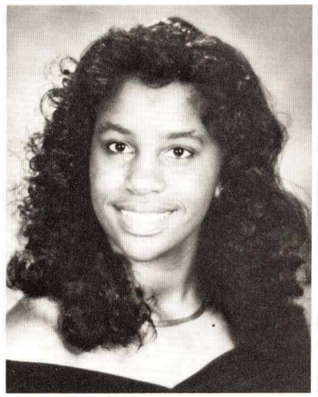

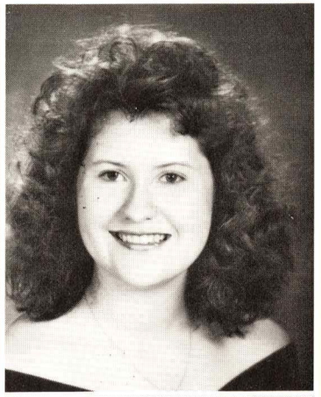

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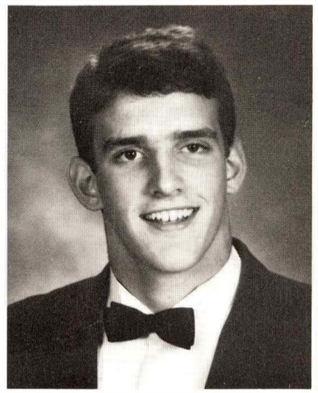

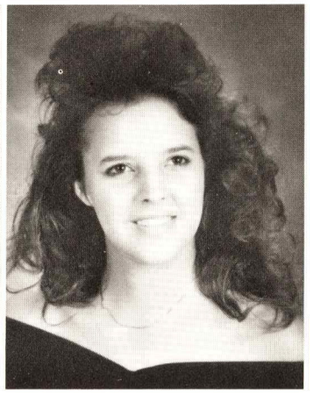

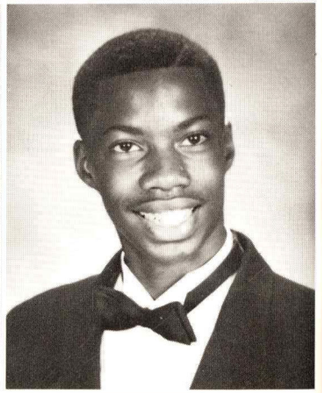

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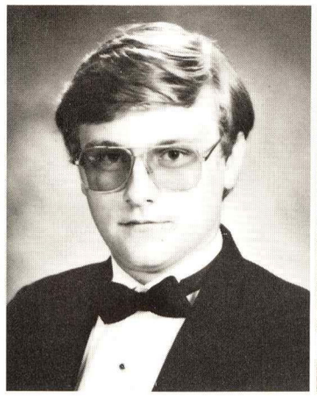

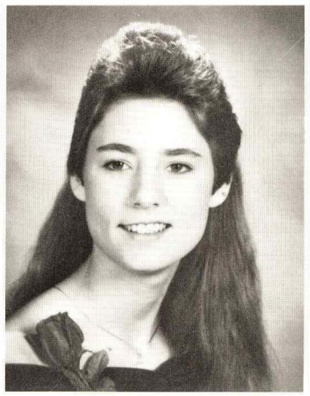

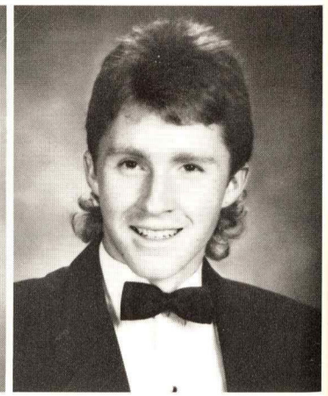

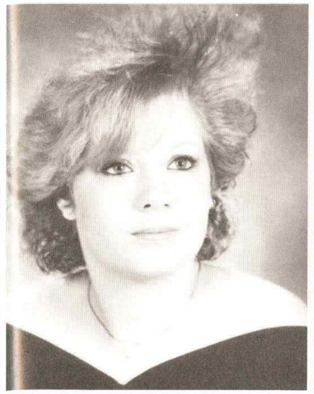

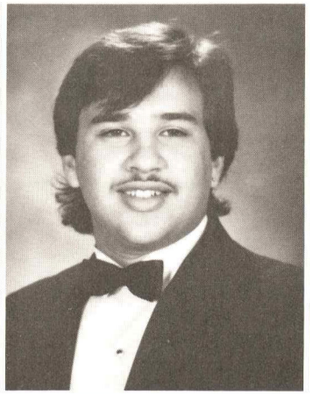

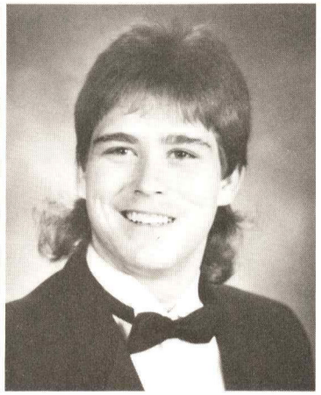

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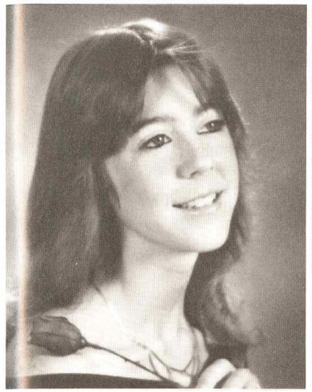

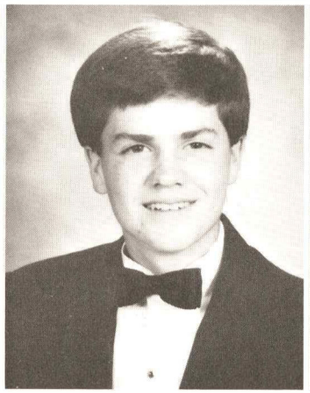

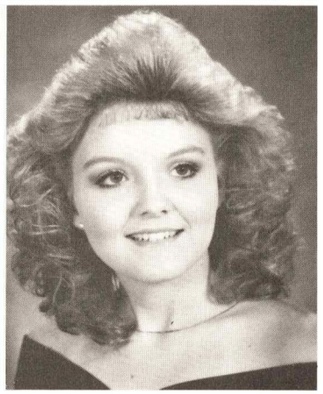

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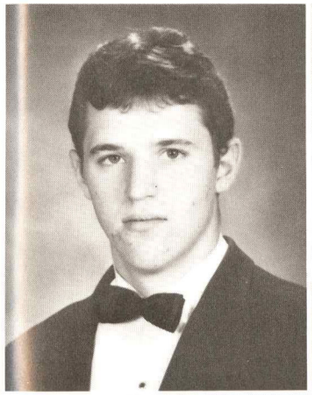

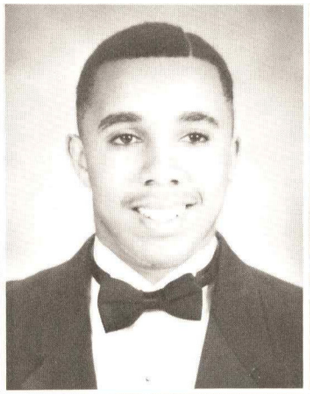

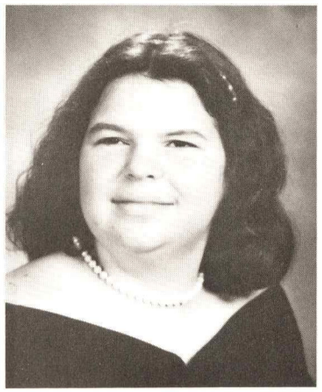

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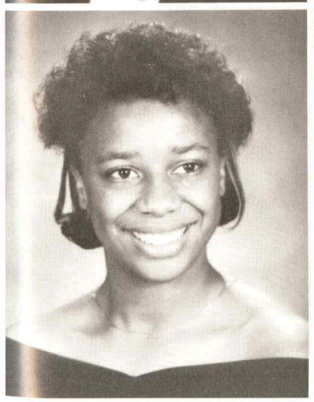

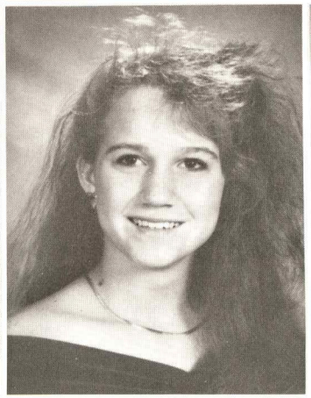

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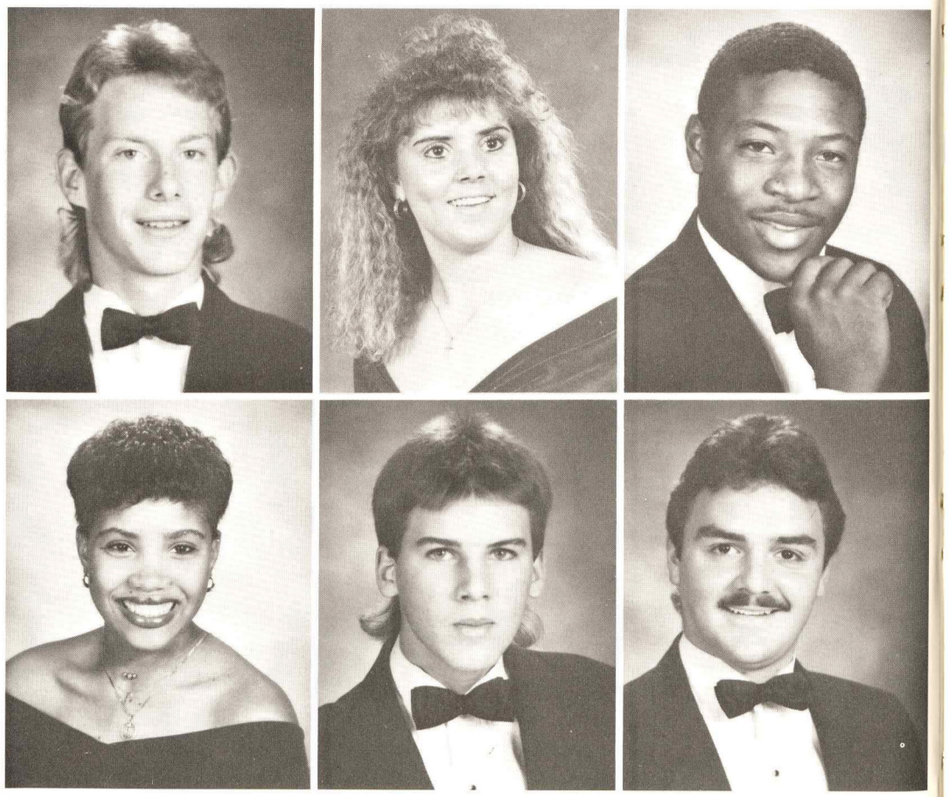
What It Was Like: 88-89

In twenty or more years, will you be able to remember the year 1988-89? Just in case your memory begins to fade, store some facts below: the cost of a roll of toilet paper:
the cost of a bag of sugar:
the best group:

the best TV show:

your favorite teacher:

The denim look is "the look" for 1988-89.



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Eubanks, Patricia
Fairley, Kellie
Felder, Shonta

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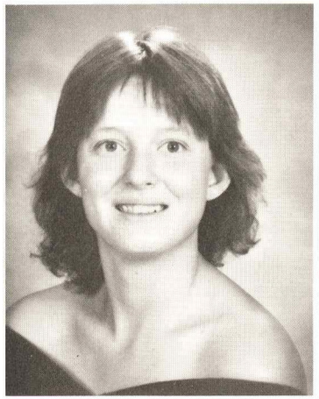

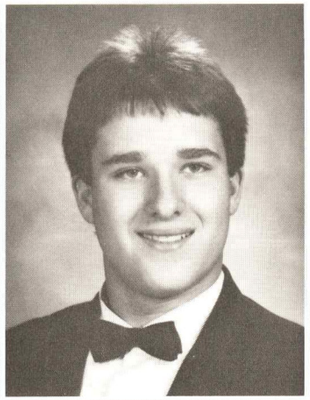

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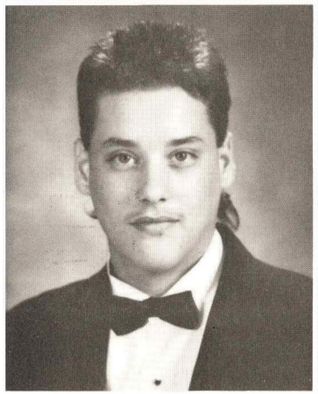

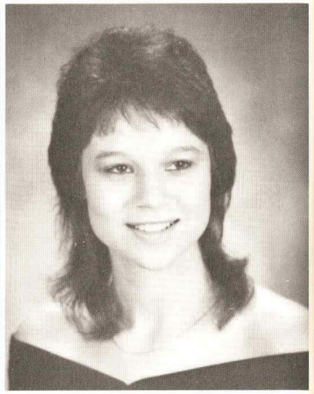

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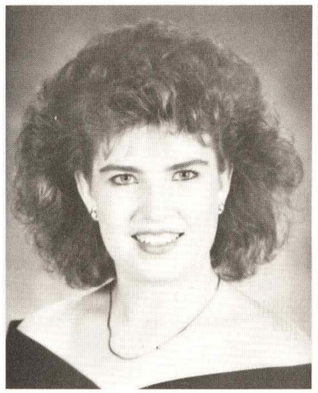

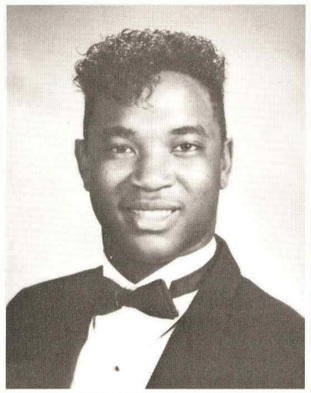

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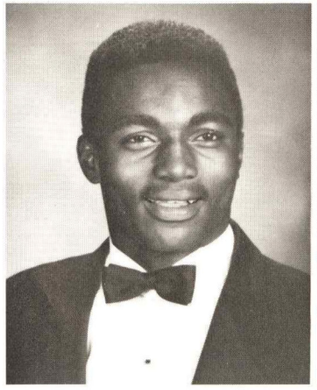

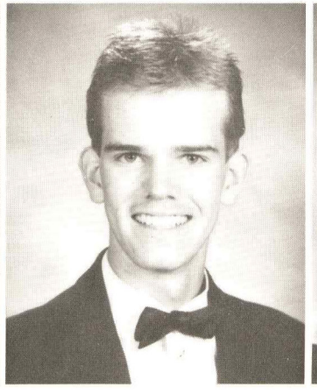

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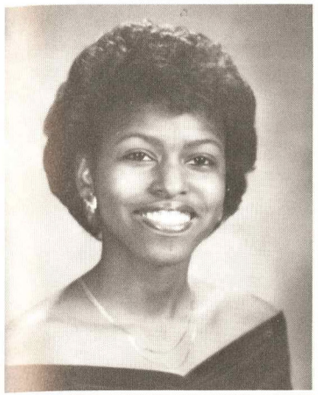

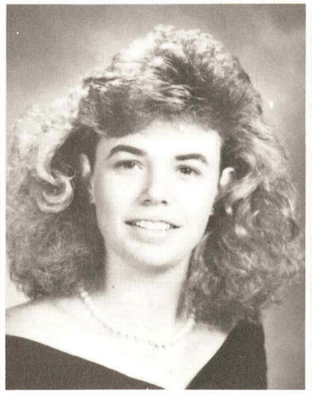

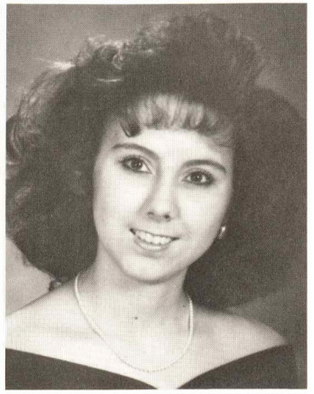

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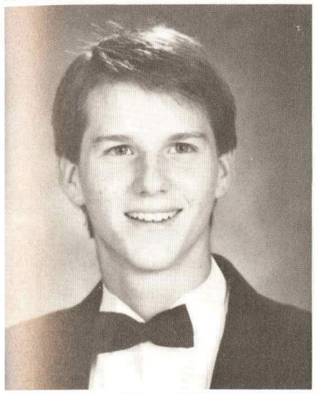

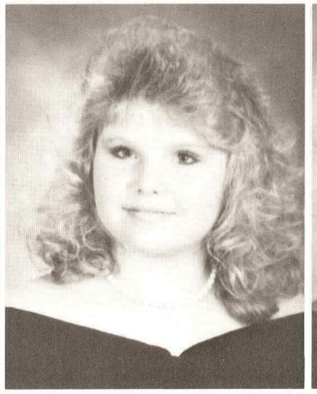

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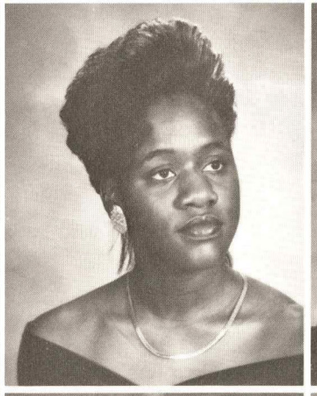

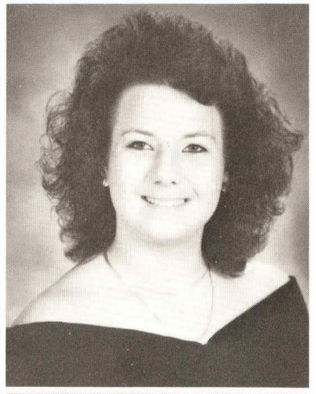

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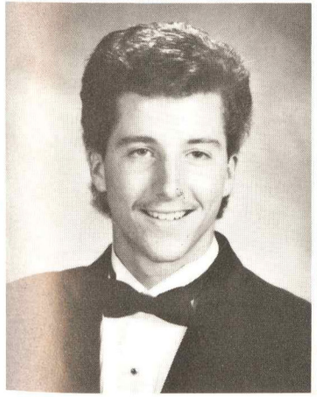

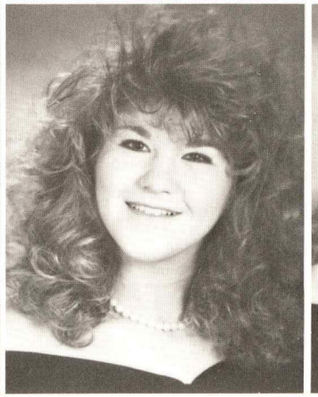

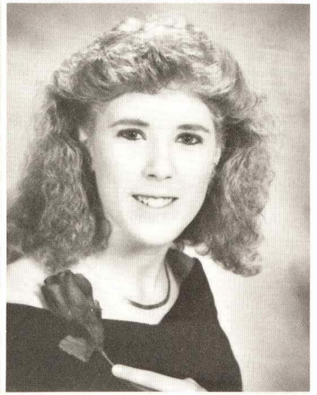

2009

When the class of '89 has the 20 year class reunion, it will be the year of our Lord, 1009 A.D. the United States will have existed for 233 years, and the majority of today's seniors will be 37 or 38 years old.

Now look into your crystal ball, and see yourself in the year 2009. On the survey to the right fill in what you see for yourself now. In the year 2009, bring out the old yearbook and see if your dreams came true.

A State Of Mind

	1989	2009
1	I will live in_____	I am living in_____
2	I will be be married to_____	I am married to_____
3	I will have _____ kids.	I have _____ kids.
4	I will be working as a _____	I am working as a _____
5	I will be making $_____	I am making $_____
6	I will drive _____	I have a _____ to drive
7	My best friend will be_____	My best friend is_____

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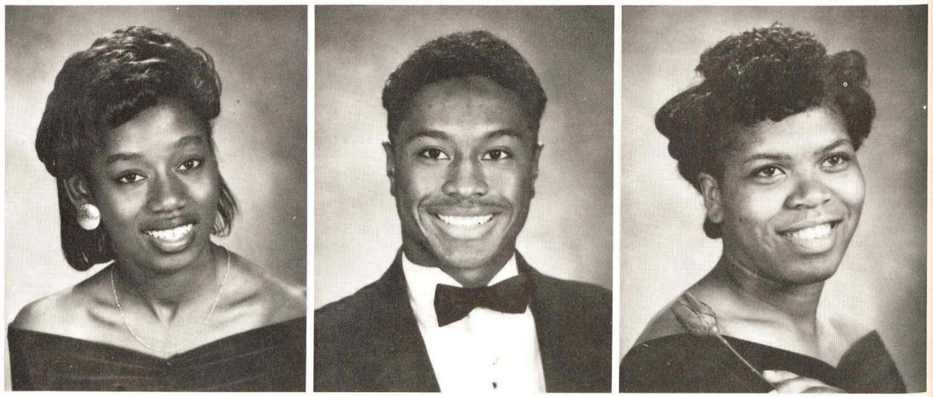

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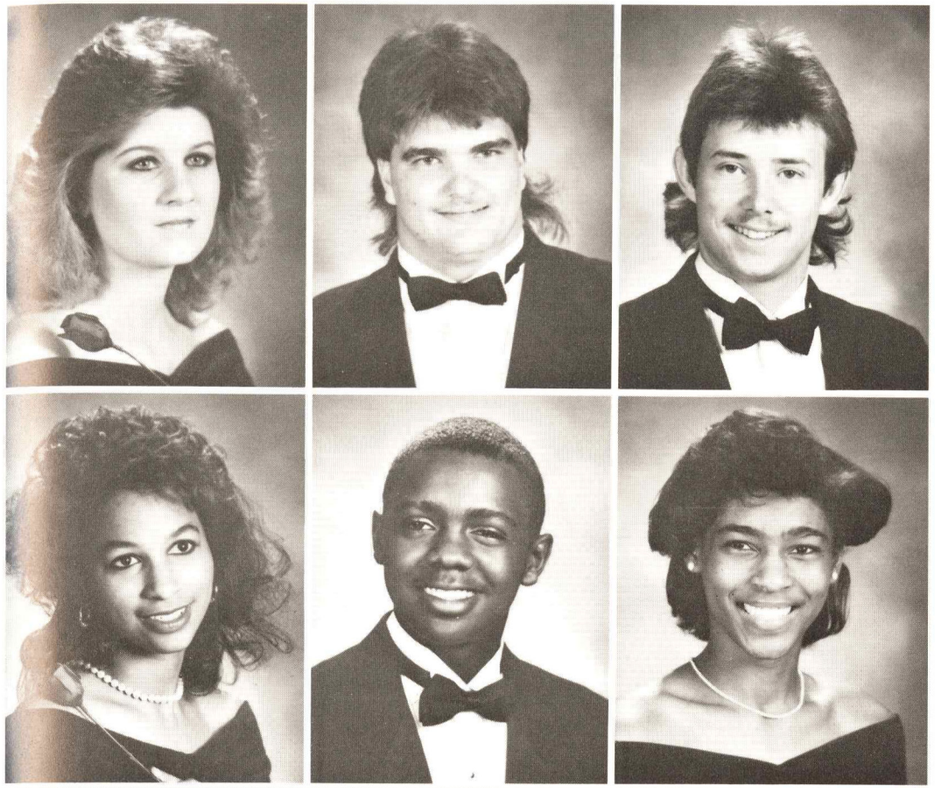

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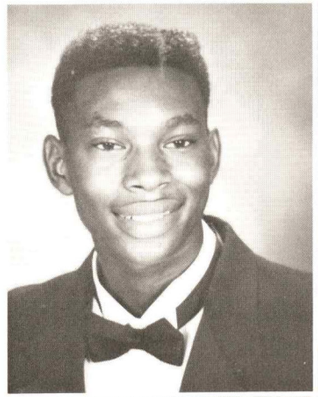

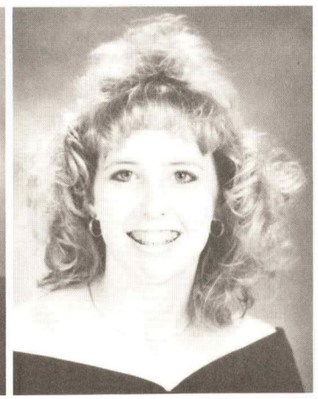

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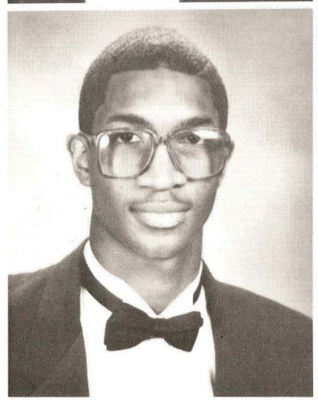

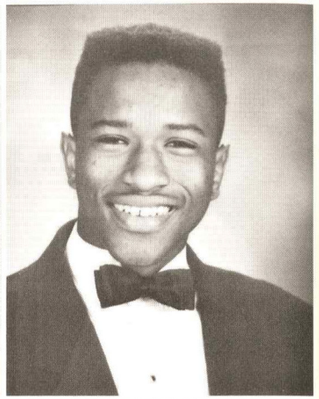

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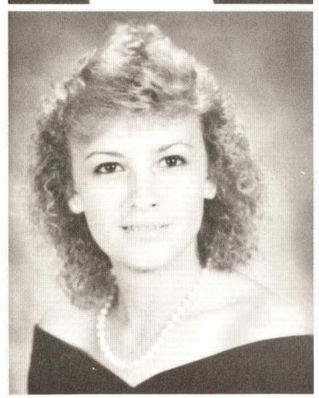

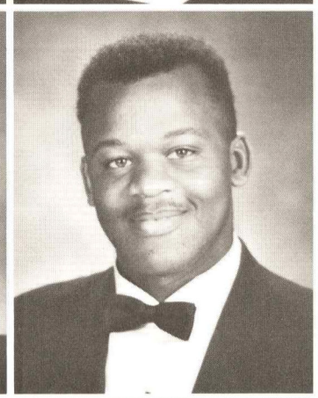

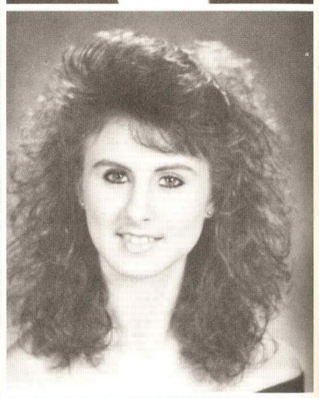

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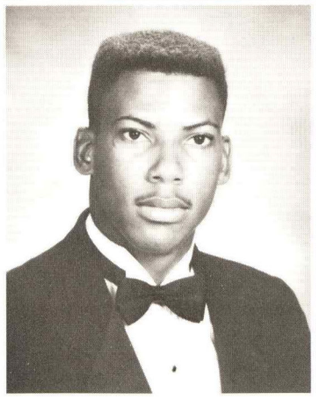

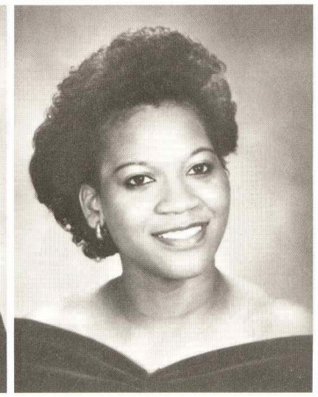

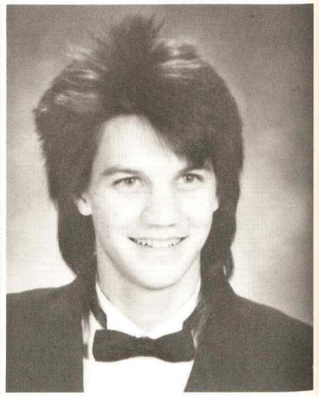

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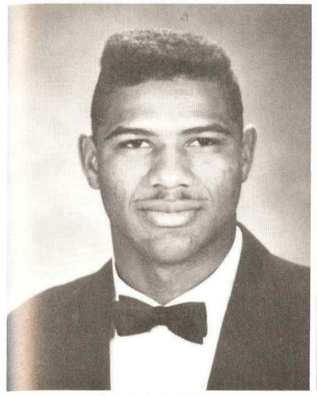

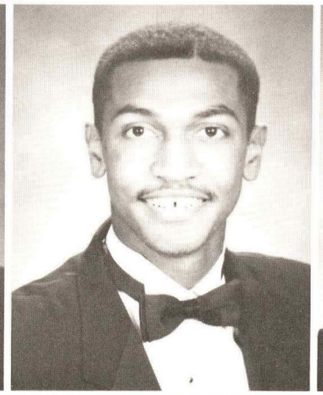

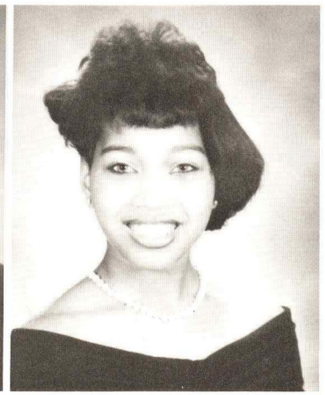

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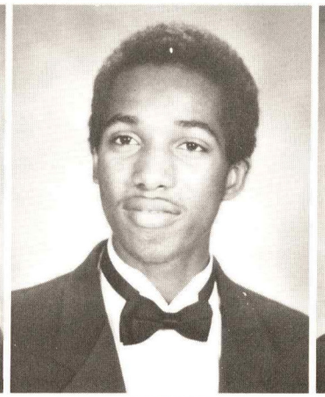

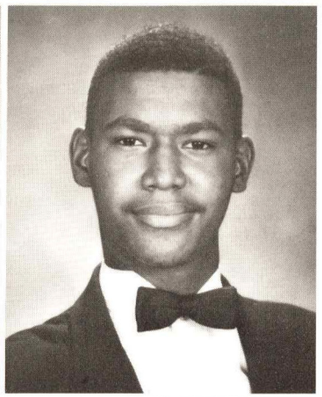

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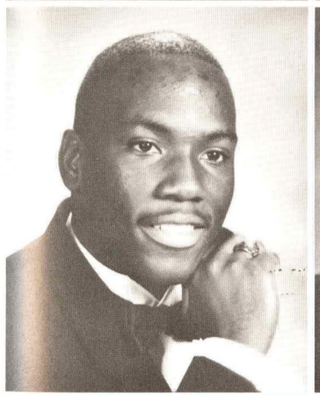

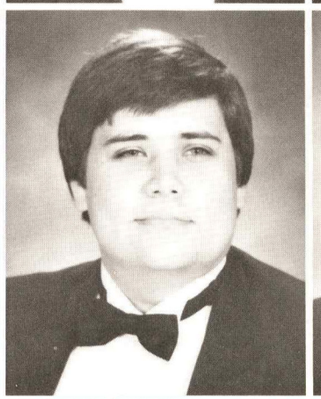

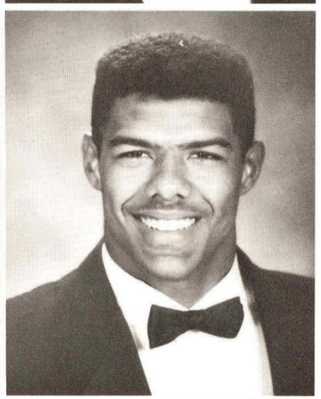

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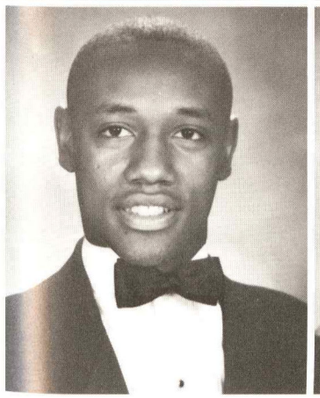
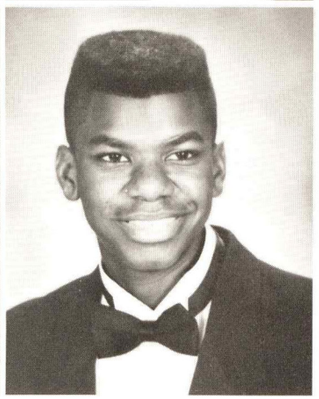
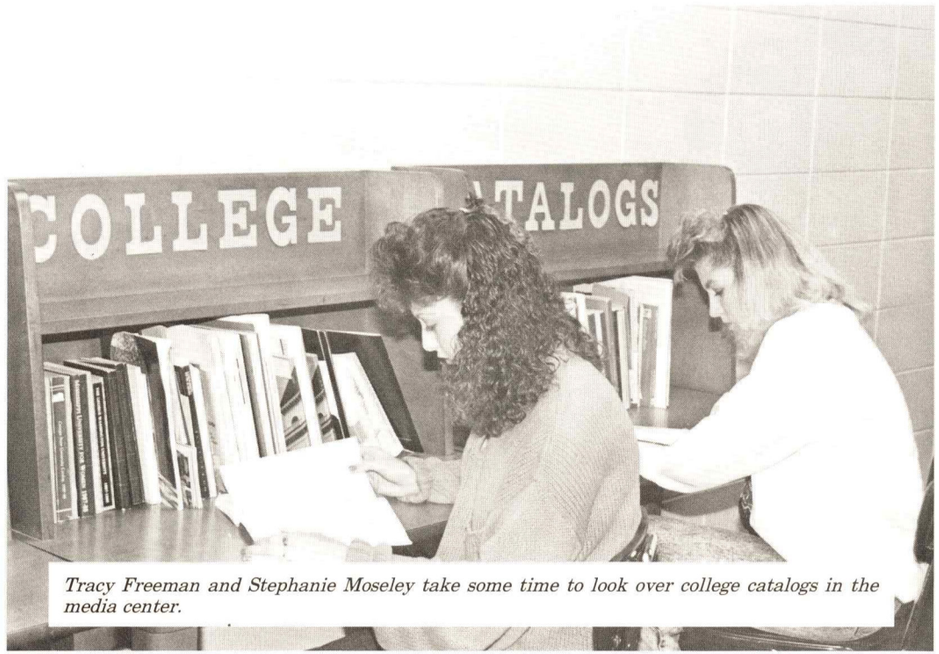




Where Do We Go From Here?

"What are you going to do when you grow up?" Do you remember that question? We are almost grown now, and it is time to start thinking about what the future will bring. 66% of the senior class said they were going to college, and the top five colleges were:

1. J.C.
2. USM
3. Tenn. State
4. USA
5. Miss. State
The remaining plan to:
work - 7%
marry - 3%
enter military - 24%



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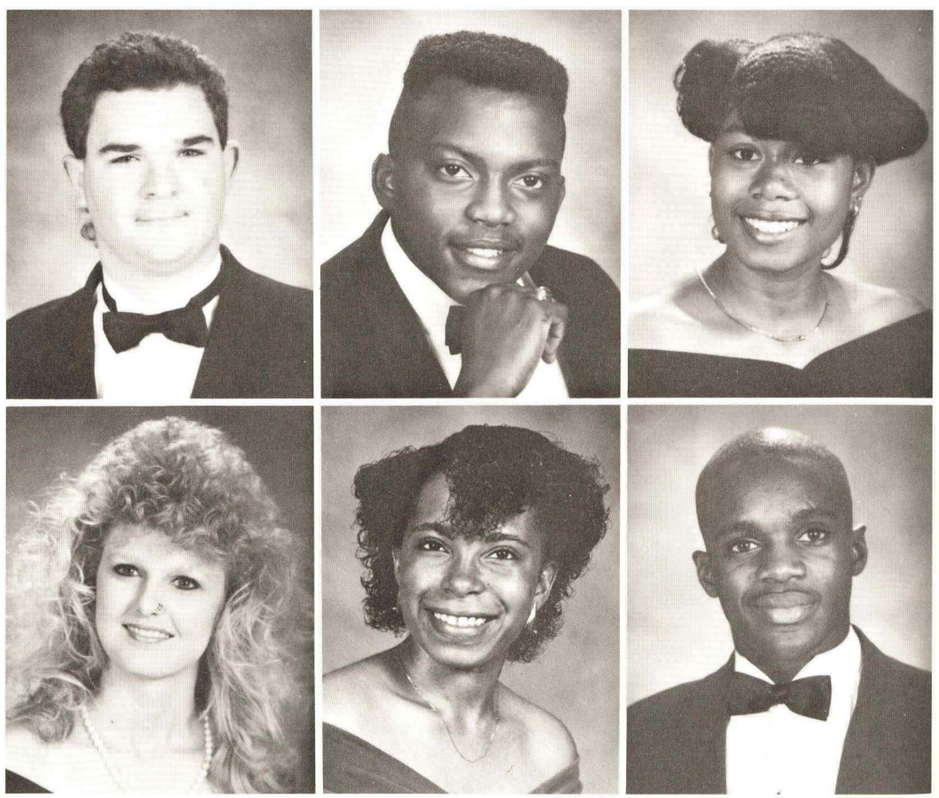

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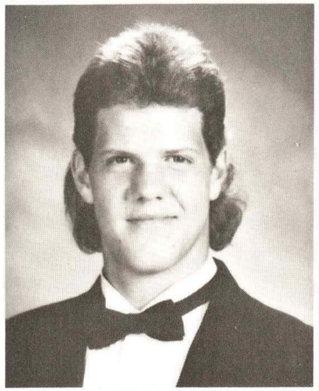

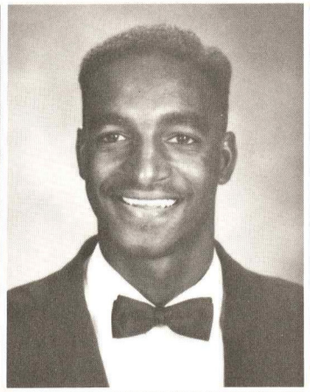

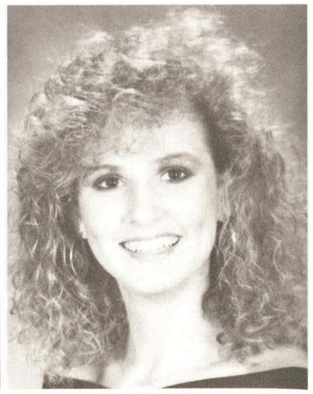

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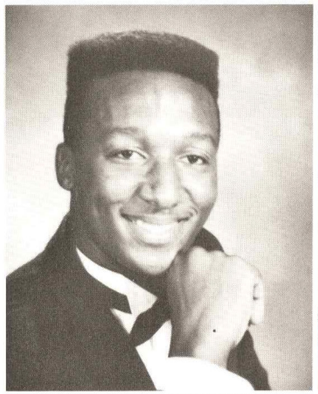

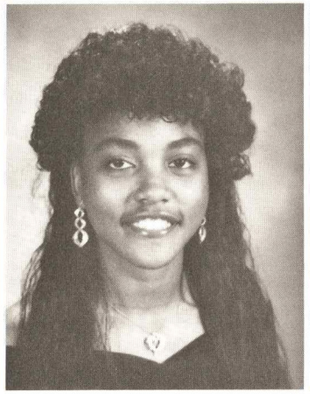

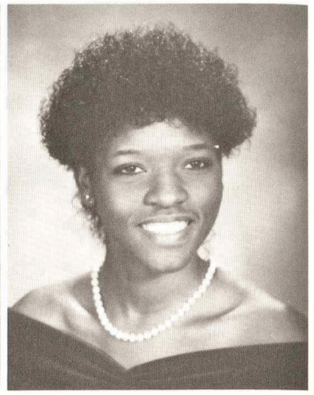

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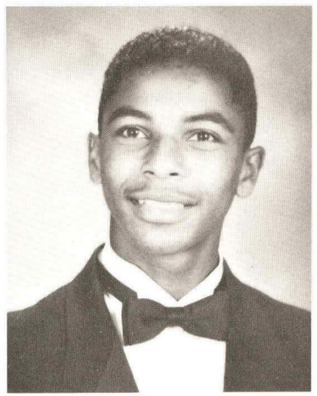

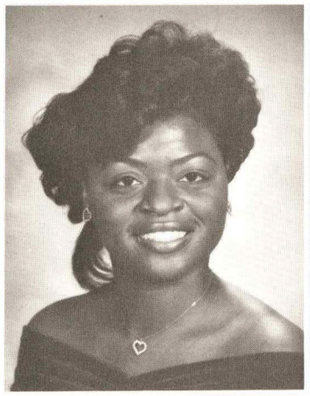

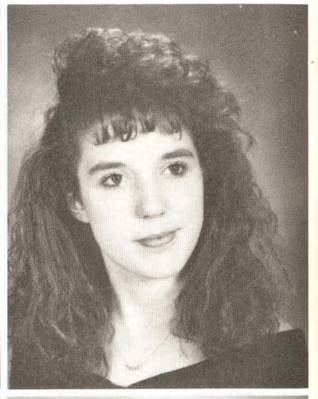

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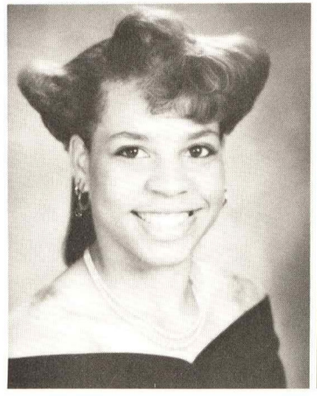

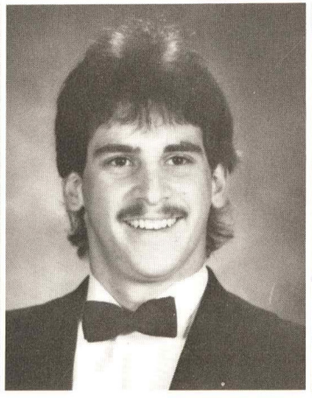

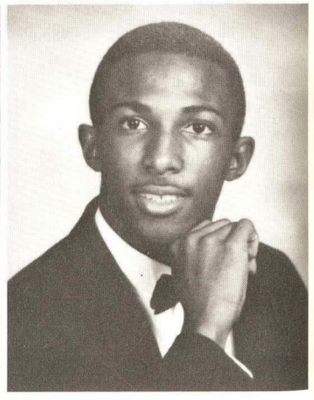

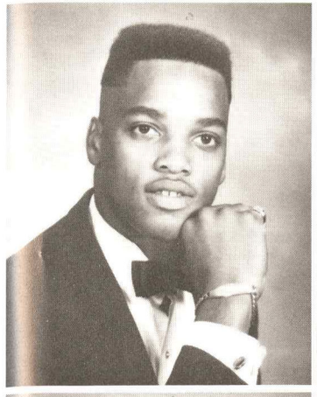

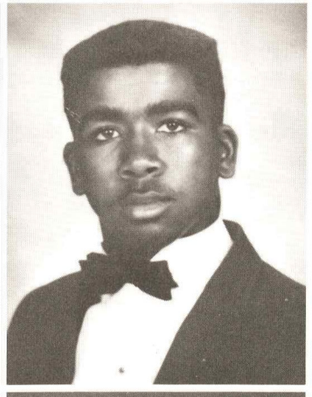

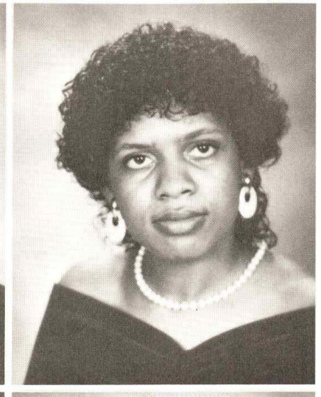

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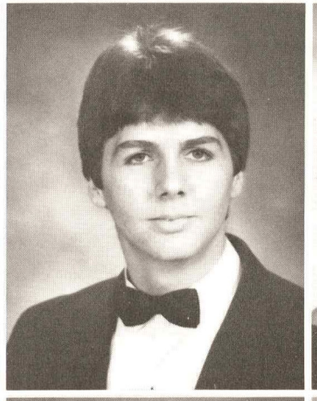

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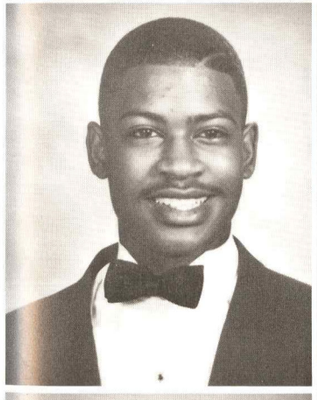

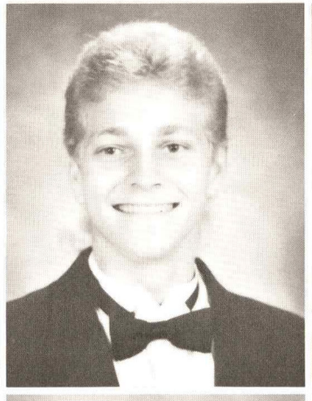

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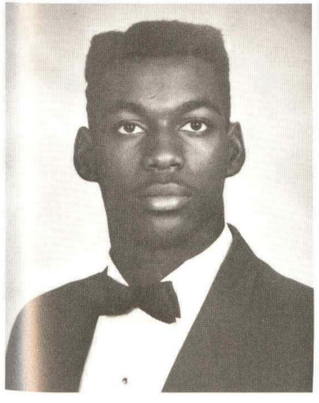

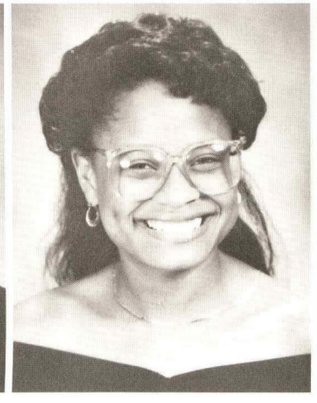

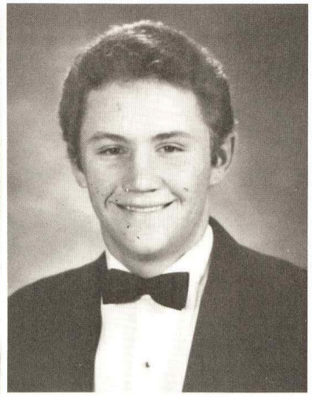

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Please Don't Throw Your

Throwing mortar boards may have been against the rules once, but now 232 of 279 seniors planned to toss their hats into the sky after graduation. Being a senior was much hard work, including research papers, science projects, and college applications. Now it was all over, and we looked to the future. Seniors spent the last twelve years meeting the challenges of school, now they face the real world.

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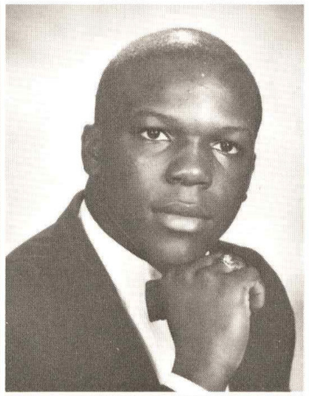

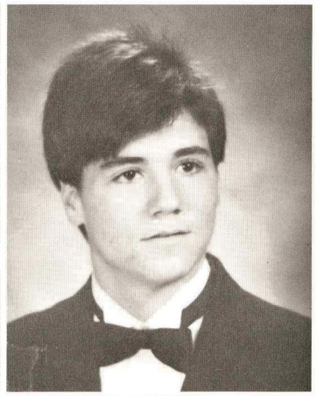

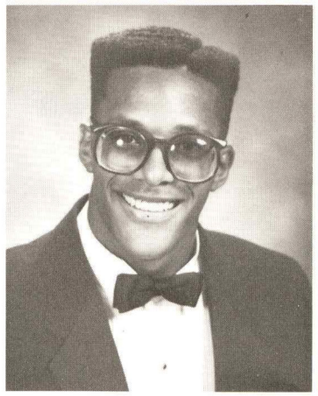

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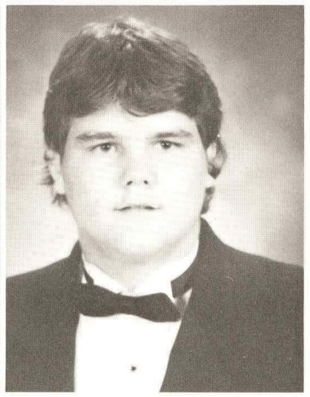

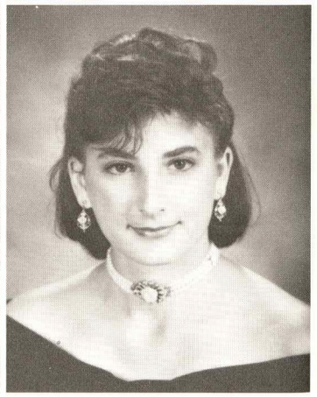

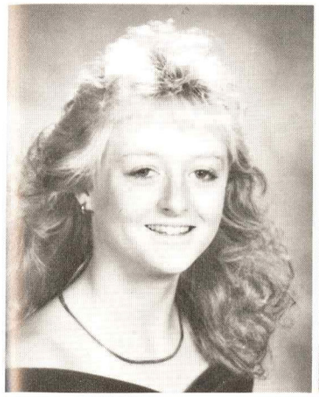

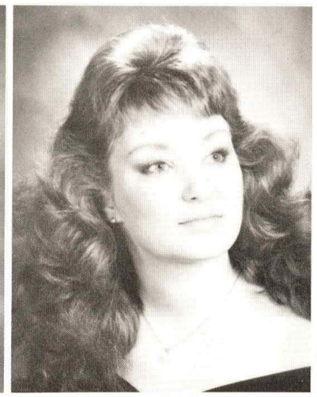

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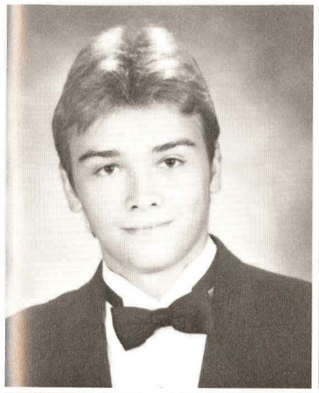

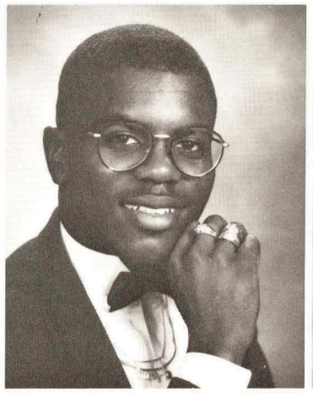

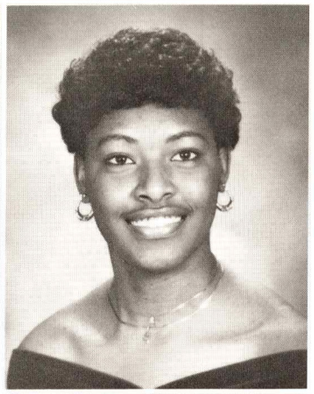

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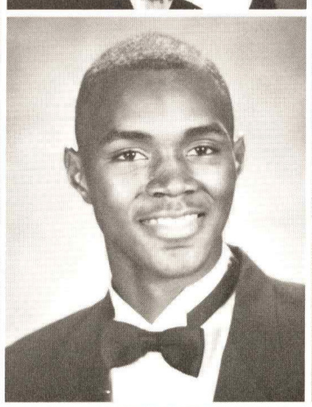

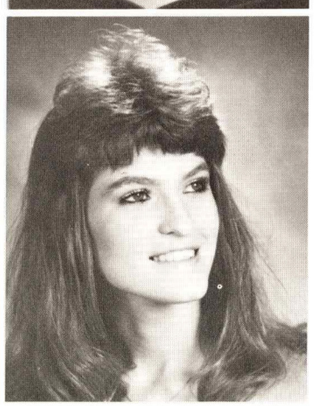

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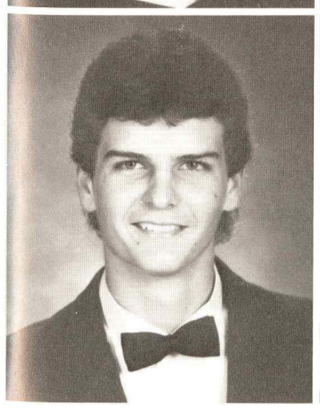

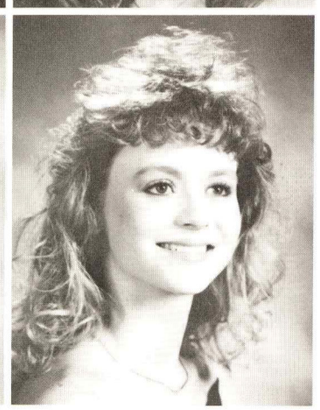

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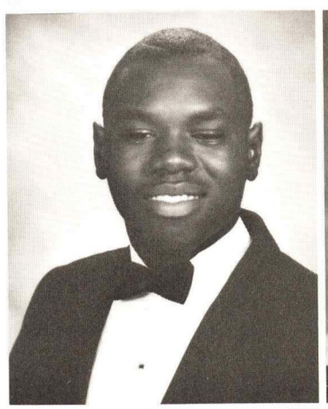

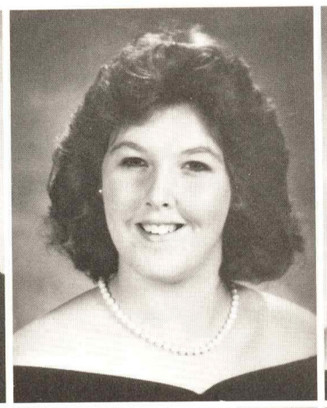

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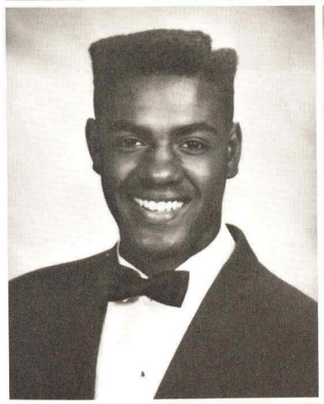

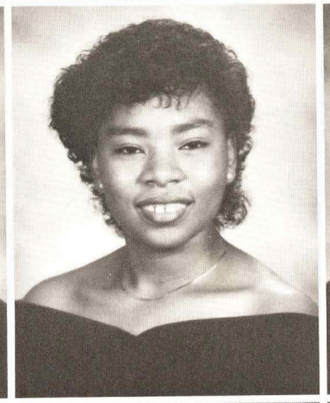

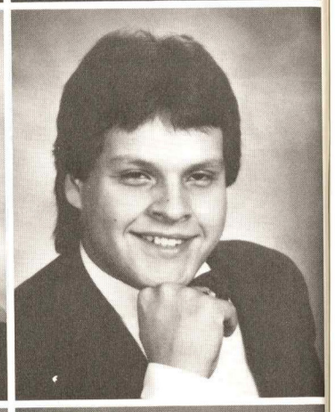

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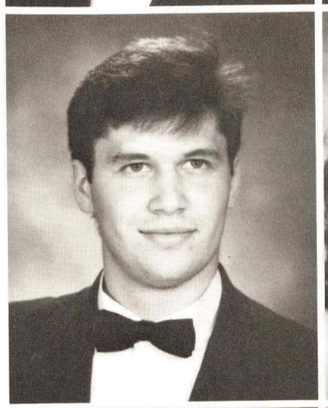

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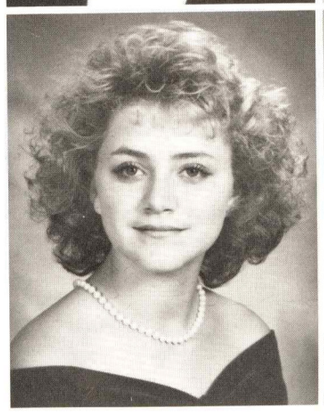

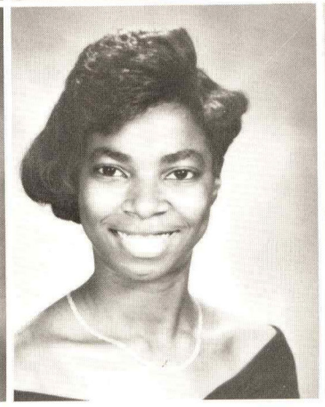

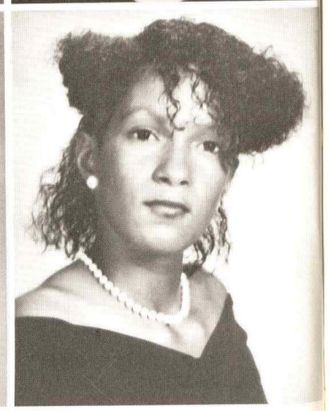

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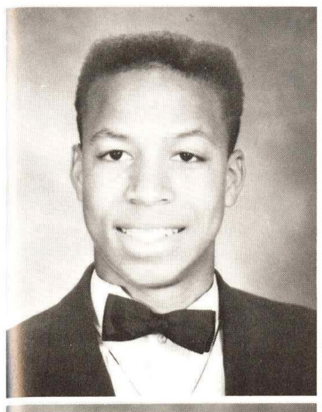

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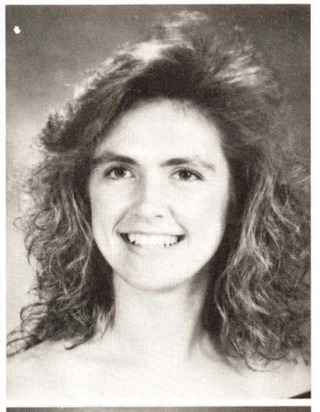

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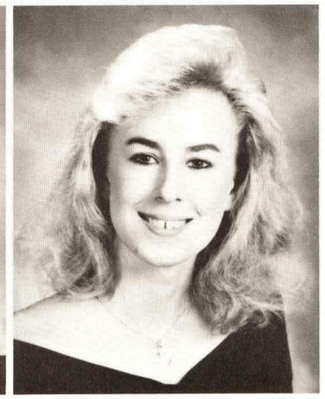

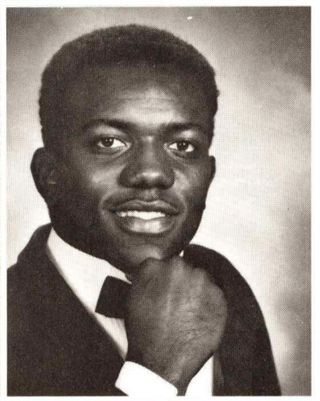

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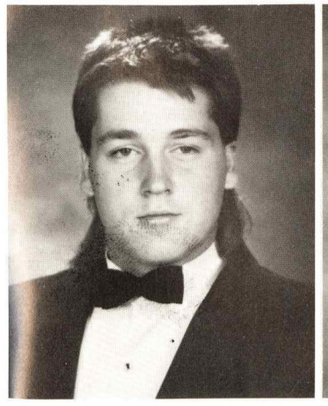
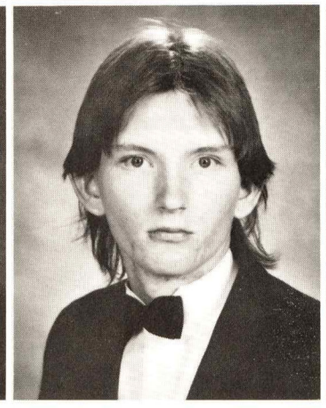
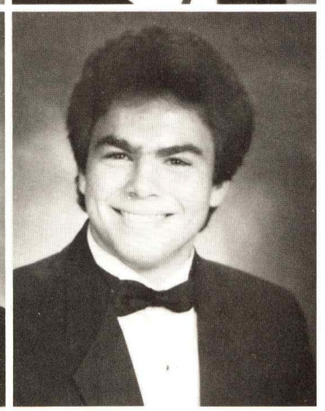




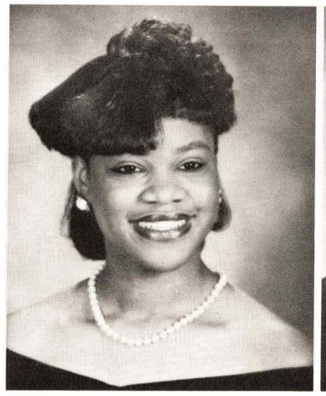


"a parting word"

The 1989 senior class had the opportunity of enjoying their senior year at the brand new Moss Point High School. They had lived through the construction, made their way around the detours and had observed the changes taking place. They were asked to give their opinion of the new MPHS in one word. The results are to the right.

Photo right: Students gather outside the front door before school each day.

"Different, wonderful, unbelievable, improved, terrific, great, excellent, marvelous, clean, super, live, progressing, improvement, new, about-time, surprising, astonishing, cool, kickin', modern, wild, spectacular, awesome, exciting, unreal, changed, smooth, wow, exceptional, fresh, tremendous, incredible, sensational, devastating, enormous, undescribable, challenging, chillin'!"



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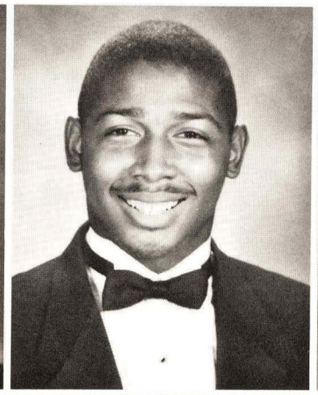

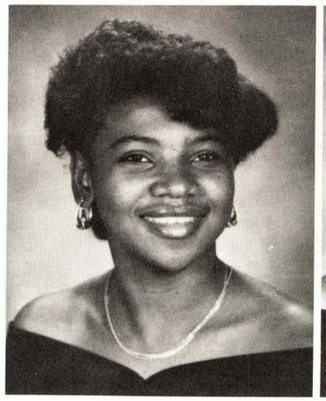

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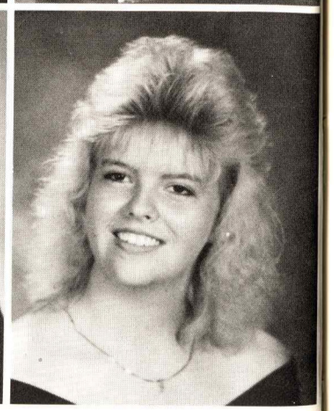

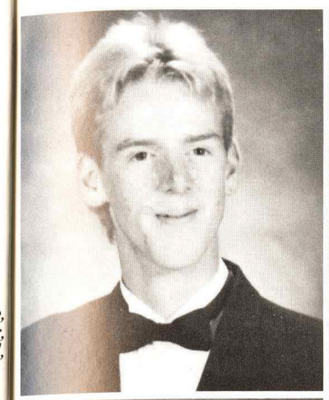

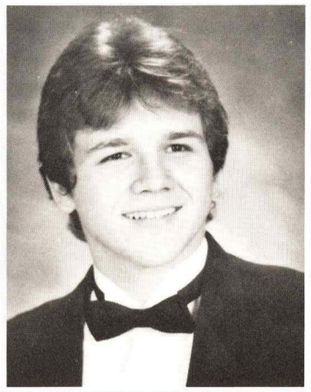

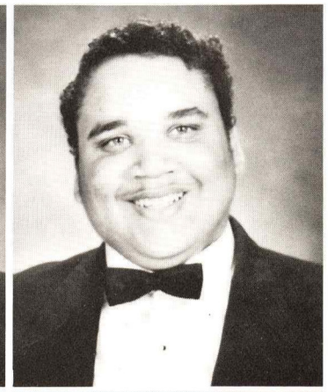

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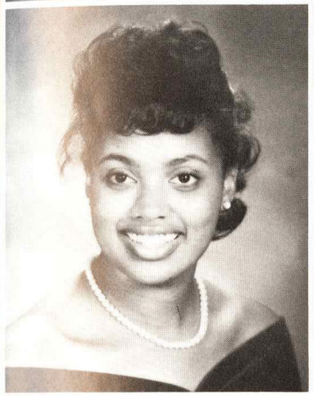

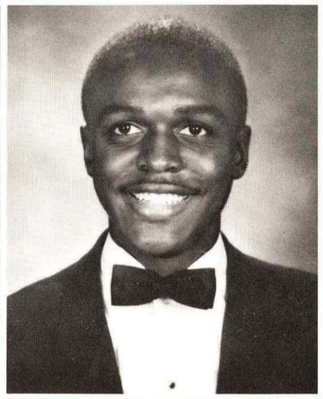

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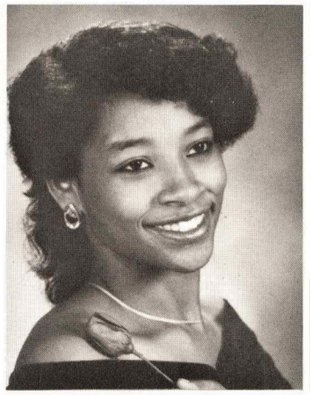

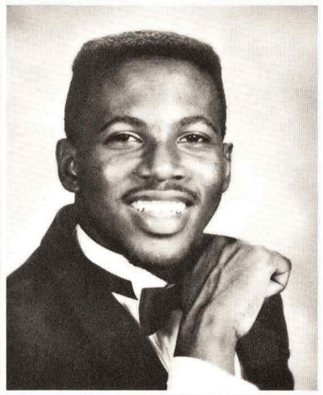

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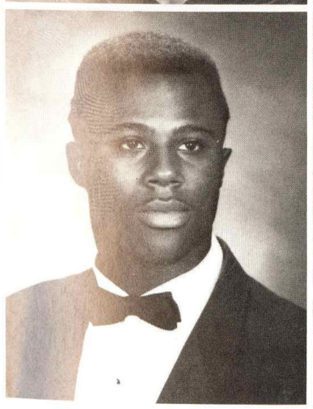

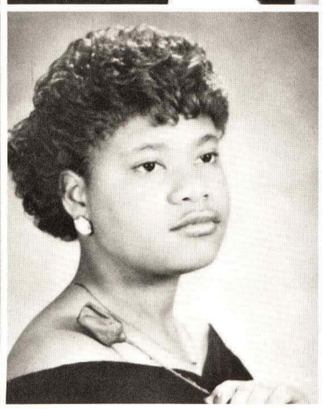

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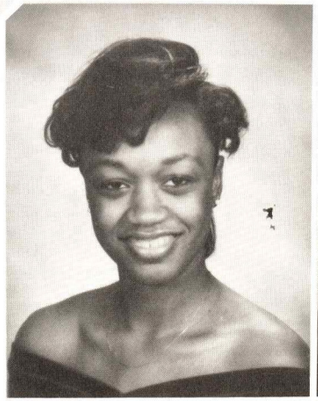

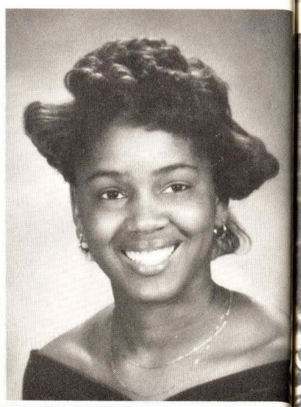

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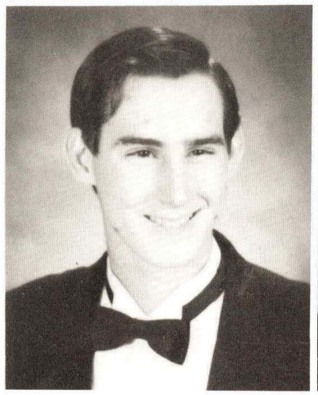
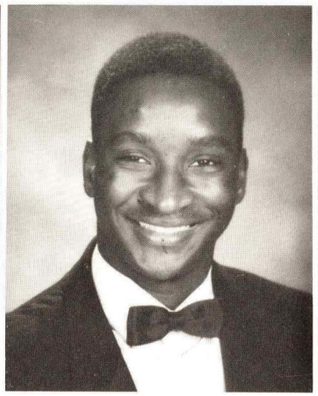
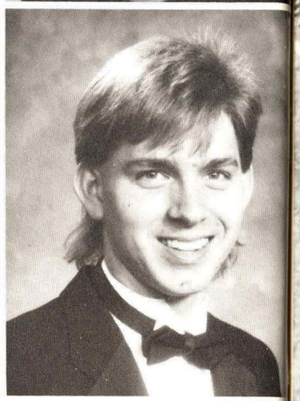
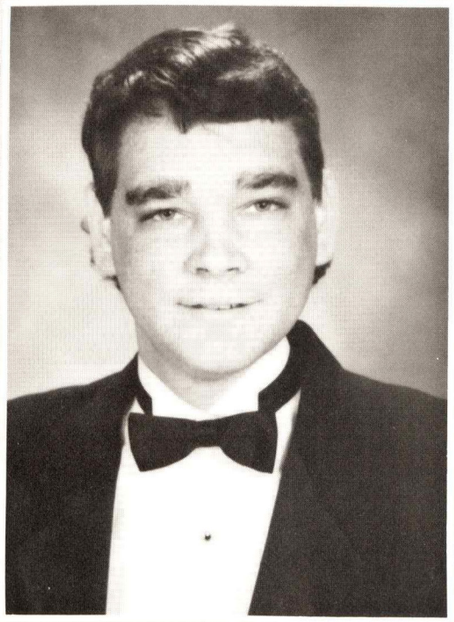
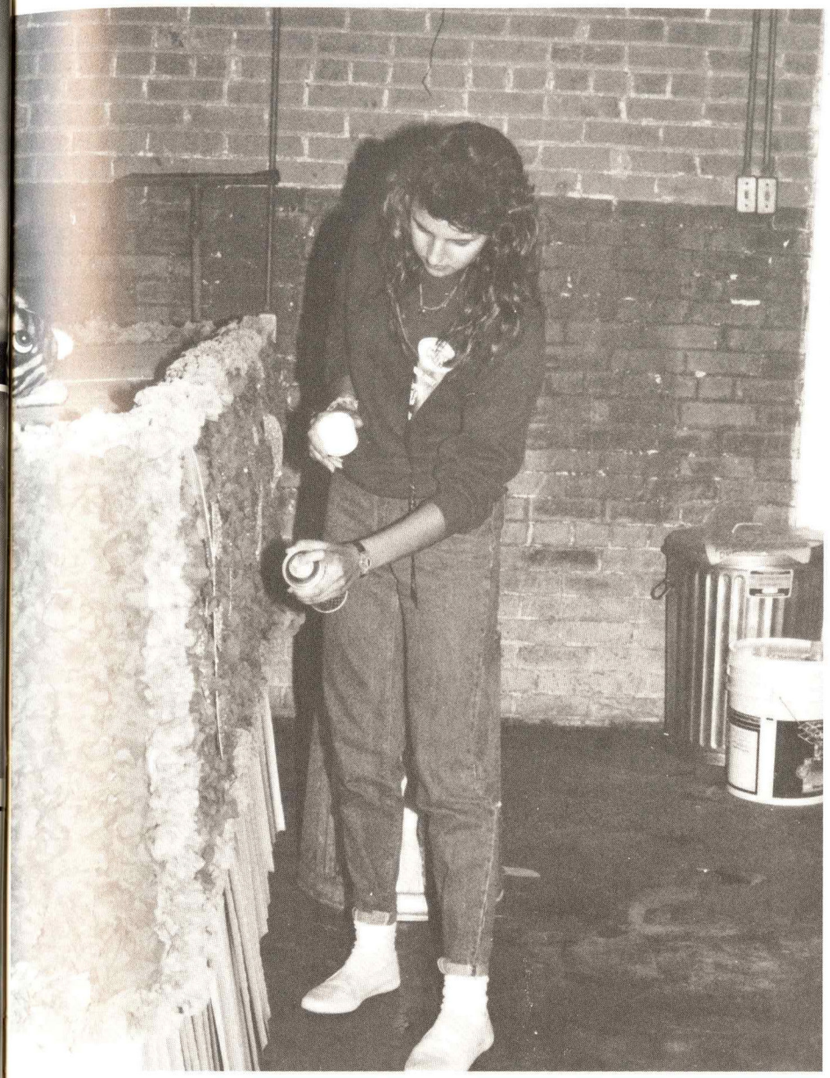




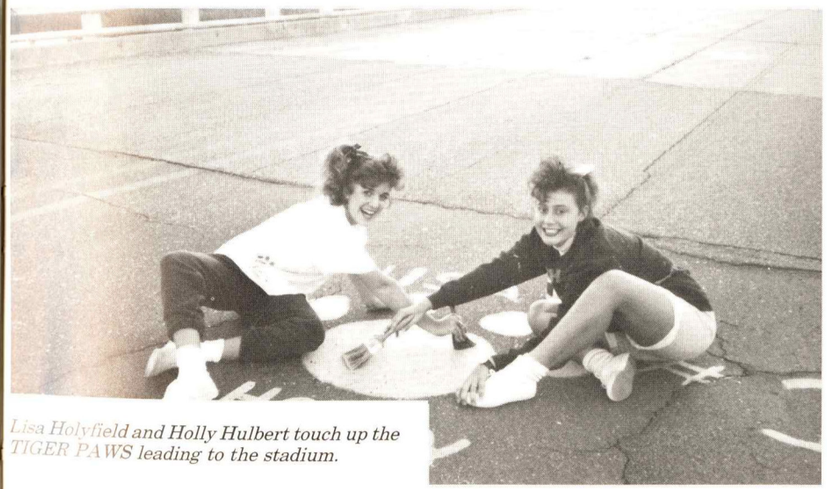


James A. Kemp

In Remembrance

JAMES A. KEMP, 17, OF 3737 RIVERWOOD DRIVE, MOSS POINT, MISSISSIPPI, DIED DECEMBER 17, 1988, AT SINGING RIVER HOSPITAL FOLLOWING A LENGTHY ILLNESS. JAMES WAS BORN APRIL 10, 1971, AND WAS THE SON OF MR. & MRS. FREDDIE ALLDAY. HE WAS A MEMBER OF GRIFFIN STREET BAPTIST CHURCH IN MOSS POINT. JAMES WILL BE REMEMBERED BY HIS FAMILY AND FRIENDS AS ONE WHO HAD A POSITIVE ATTITUDE ABOUT LIFE. HE LOVED LIFE AND NEVER COMPLAINED ABOUT HIS ILLNESS.





Lisa Holyfield and Holly Hulbert touch up the TIGER PAWS leading to the stadium.

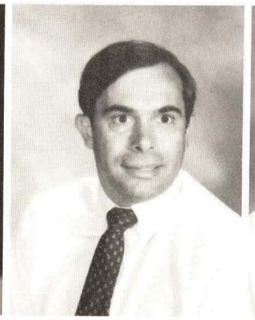
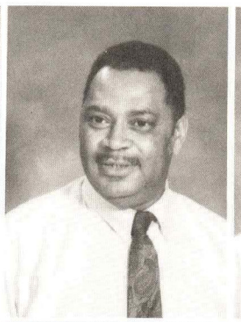
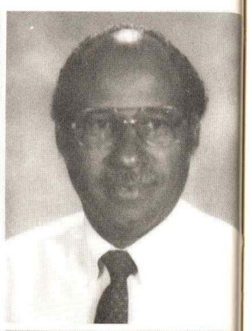
Stephanie Stork, Jason Green and Sirena Dillon show their senior Tiger Spirit at a home football game.

Angela Crowley works on the senior homecoming float. The senior float won first place in the parade.

Seniors, Erica Hall and Monica Crear make their way through the halls of the newly renovated high school on opening day.

Class of '89

Polk, Auwilda
Principal
Niles, Richard
Asst. Principal
Johnson, Charles
Asst. Johnson
Ellis, Andrew
Voc. Director

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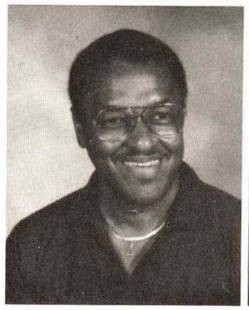
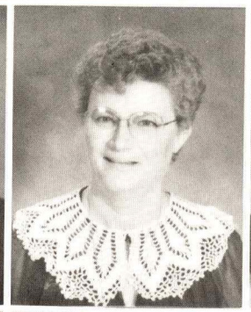
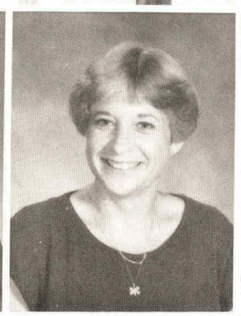

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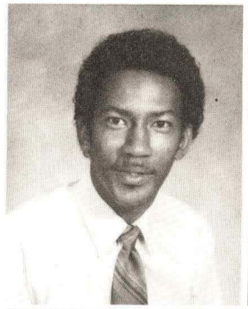
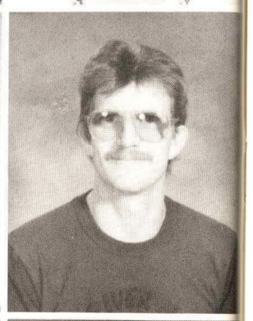
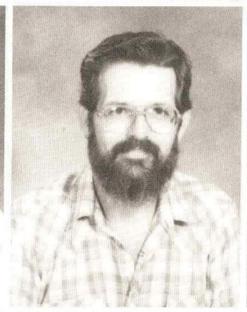
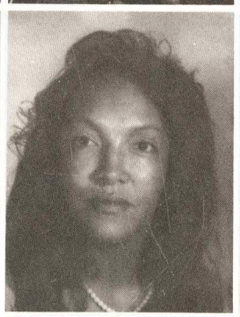
Bounds, Terry
Marine Mechanics





Brown, Yolanda
Related Reading
Burroughs, James
Metal Trades
Butler, Jancie
English
Cameron, Freda
Resource

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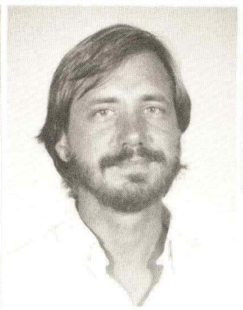
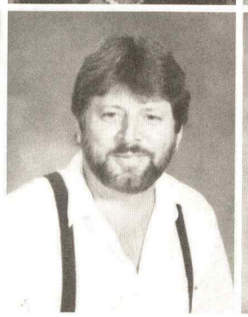
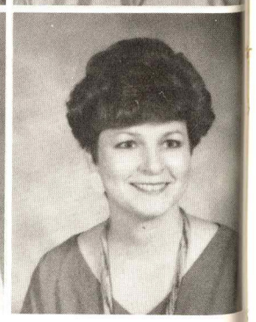

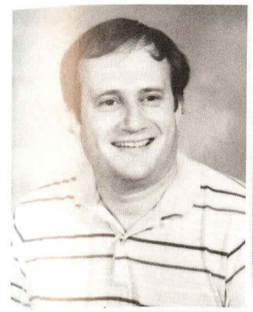

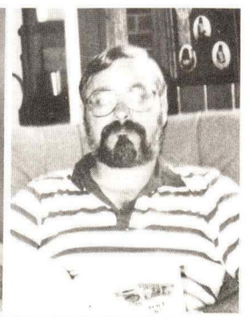

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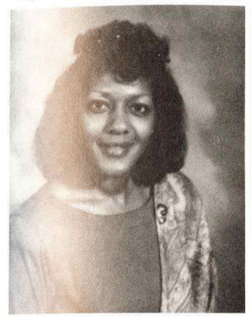

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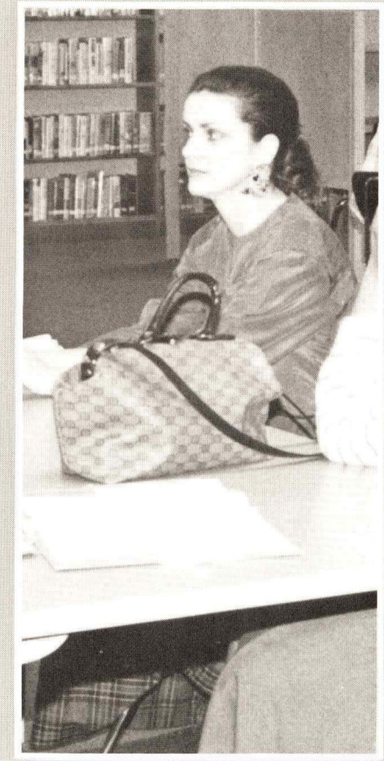
Typing

Would You Believe?

Teachers were asked, "What is the worst thing you did in high school?" Responses: Hennington - My teacher threw chalk at me because I was talking - I threw it back! Carter - I was in love with two boys, both of whom were in the band. One day on a band trip I rode on the seat with one boy, made out during half-time with the second, rode home with the first and was walked to my door by both. Browning - I got kicked out of agriculture class for being so stinking mean. It was a permanent arrangement. Stricklin - Spilled a barrel of fetal pigs all over me and the other biology lab assistant. Wood - The principal's son and I put an 8 inch green snake in our American History teacher's desk. Daughdrill - skipped school one day. Skocelas - As a junior I "stacked" the sandwich of one of my friend's lunch by placing several sheets of paper under the lettuce. Moorer - I was a cheerleader and I skipped a game to attend a concert in Mobile. I was caught! Bain - I played hookie to go swimming and I almost drowned. B. Richardson - I climbed inside the library display case. It was not appreciated by our 80-year-old librarian. Sansing - I walked out of my English class one day. Baxter - I fell in love and started dating one of my teachers.

Not Our Teachers!



First year teacher Lisa Moorer was once a cheerleader who played hookie and got caught!

Why Me?

Teachers were asked "Why did you become a teacher?" Responses: Bain - Being a "Human Skills Architect" is more important to me than being a "Navel Architect." Moorer - Because I have an interest in the future, and these young adults are our future. Skocelas - It isn't for the money!! I enjoy working with young people and studying and discussing history. Daughdrill - I'm still trying to figure it out. Wood - I enjoy working with young people and I truly believe learning is important but it can be fun too. Hennington - I enjoyed my subject area. I knew that it could be boring. I wanted to teach so that students would know more than the grammar of French. They would know that it is something useful, beyond the classroom. Stricklin - I must have been temporarily mentally ill. No, in reality, I enjoy working with young people. Browning - I had the idealistic view that perhaps I might make someone's future a little better than my past. Carter - I couldn't afford law school at the time. DeShields - My elementary school principal taught my math class. He captured everyones' attention and challenged us. I wanted to be as dynamic as he was. Sansing - Some idiot told me it would be an easy job!!

Why Teach???

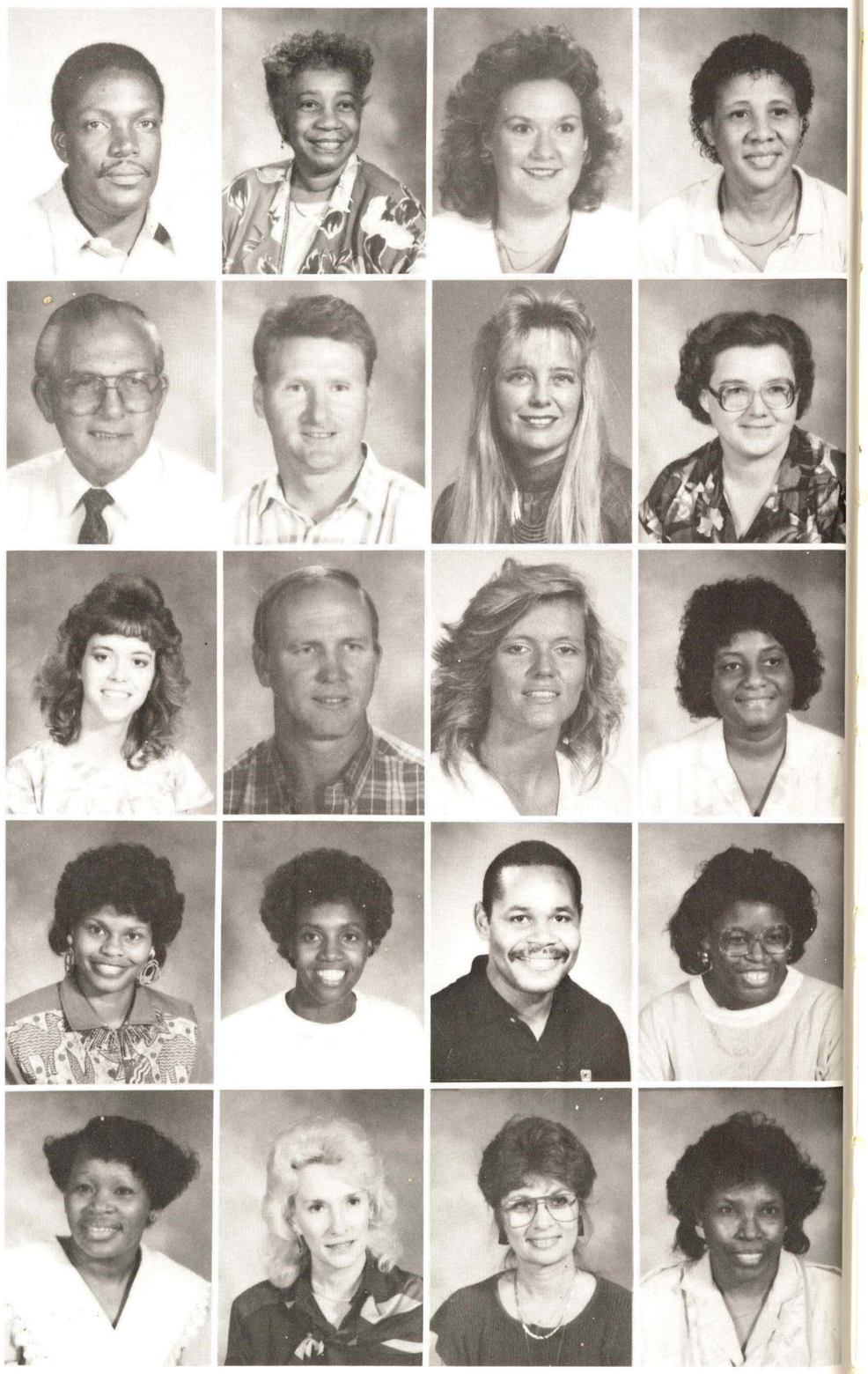
Haynes, Art
P.E., Basketball
Haynes, Deloris
Study Hall
Hennington, Angela
French
Hill, Doris
P. E.

Holmes, Robert
District Attn.
Hudson, Kenny
Drivers Ed.
Hughes, Vicki
Counselor
Johnson, Louise
English/Soc. St.

Johnson, Sharon
Spanish
Kuykendall, Luther
Drivers Ed.
Kramer, Susan
Music
Lamar, Thelma
Business

Lee, Theresa
Special Ed.
Lewis, Bessie
Special Ed.
Lovette, Earl
Math
McCorvey, Ima
Secretary

McMillan, Barbara
Resource Aide
McRae, Cecilia
Counselor
May, Frankie
Secretary
Millender, Evelyn
Occupational Cloth.



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English
Murray, Rebecca
Biology
Nicholson, Corrine
English
Owens, Shirley
English

Pace, Lottie
IBT
Peresich, Mark
History
Reeves, Carrol
Counselor
Richardson, Betty
Librarian

Richardson, Lillie
Science
Rimer, Kathy
English
Robinson, Clarence
Biology
Robinson, Edna
Related Studies

Sansing, Jim
Social Studies
Shepherd, Rita
Child Care
Shaw, Sara
Math
Taylor, Sherwin
English

Sims, Warren
Chemistry
Smith, Paula
Secretary
Steward, Jency
Secretary
Stewart, Mary
Spanish

Street, Ada
Marketing
Stricklin, Sharon
Science
Tucker, Judy
Secretary
Webb, Celia
English

Wells, Bernice
Special Ed.
Williams, Marjorie
Geometry
Wood, Becky
Foods
Youngblood, Edith
VOT

Zelenka, Johnny
Drivers Ed.
Cothran, Evelyn
Cafeteria
Cowart, Hilma
Cafeteria
Dewberry, Shirley
Cafeteria

McArthur, Brenda
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McArthur, Linda
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Moore, Gladys
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Palmer, Doris
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Powell, Ruby
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Stokes, Faye
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Anderson, Vivian
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Langham, Earnestine
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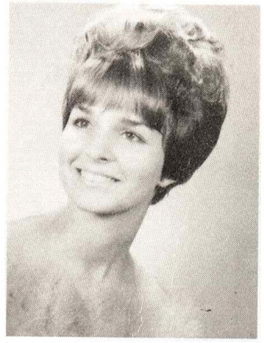
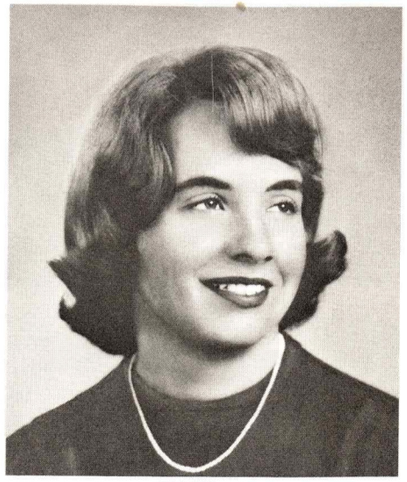
Sharon Stricklin

Jansie Butler



Beth Clark

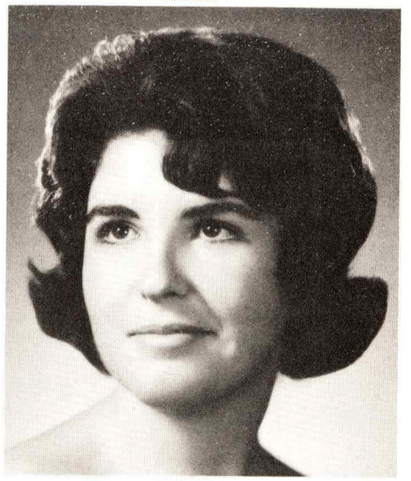


Marge Williams

Inez DeShields

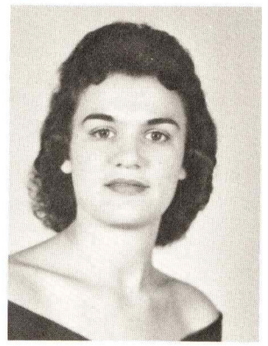
Betty Richardson

The annual staff decided to add a little history to the 1989 yearbook. Yes, once upon a time your teachers were young and were seniors just like the seniors of 1989. The hairdos and clothes have changed but kids were just kids back then too.

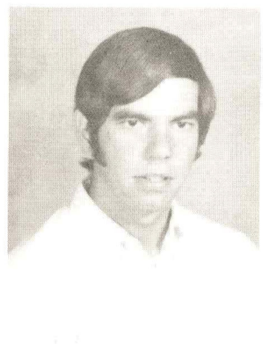


Freda Cameron

Violet Bain

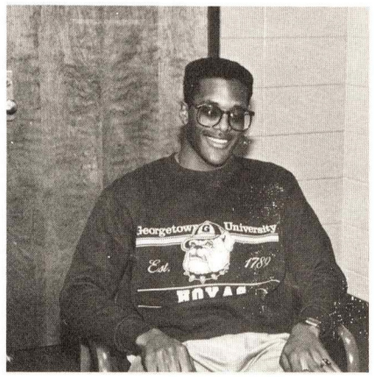


Betty Daughdrill



Mark Peresich

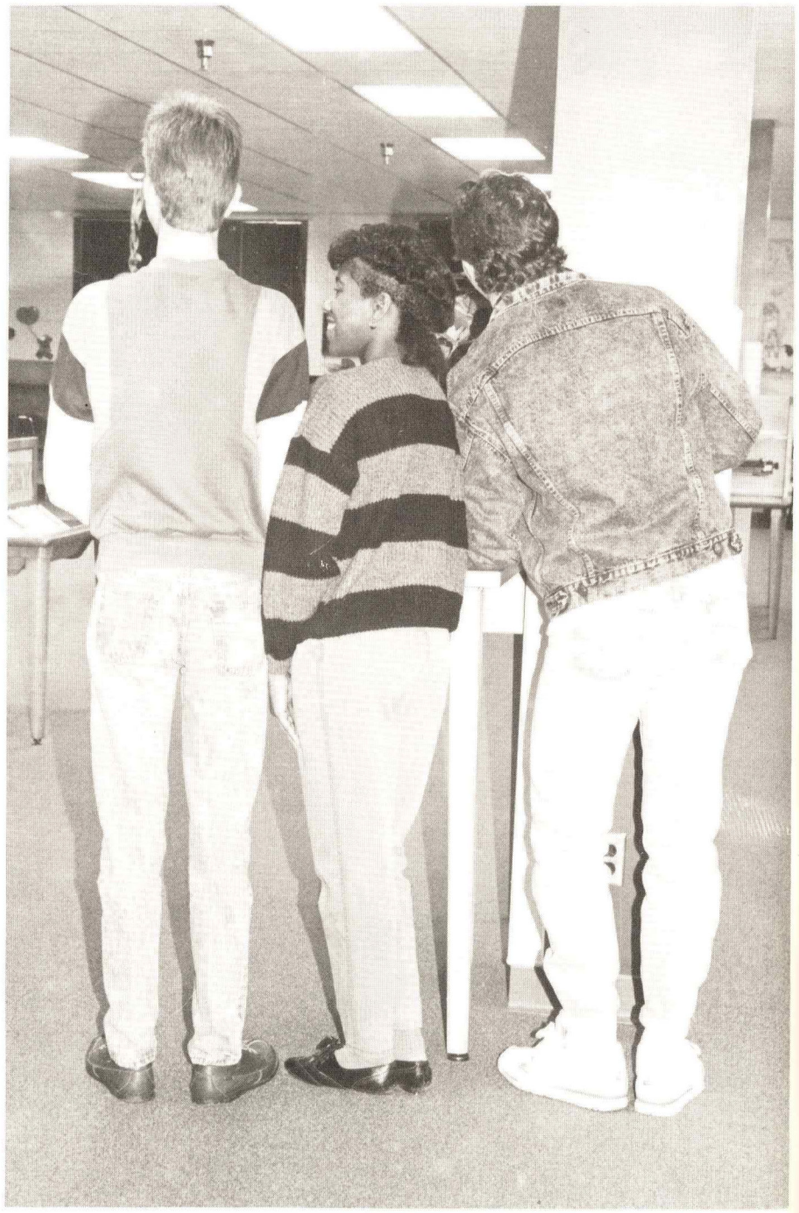
Class Of ?



Tyesha Walker, Natisha Roberson, and Bridgett Padgett model in the fall fashion show.

Derek Sabino was elected a senior beau but was unable to participate in the pageant because of a basketball game.

Wittiest, Jason Green, Felesha Cannon, and Daryl Depperschmidt turn their backs to the camera!!



Events

We dressed in our finest - some were chosen by peers, some were chosen by the faculty and some by judges. Students involved in events had the opportunity to represent Moss Point High School through Who's Who elections, the annual Beauty/Beau Pageant, Mardi Gras Coronation, Homecoming, and Junior Miss - All of these events added glitter and glitz to the school year and all involved had proven to be WORTH A SECOND GLANCE.

Bonnie Miles and Kelly Simms relax and watch other Junior Miss contestants practice their talent.

The Carnival Ball court is awaiting the Grand Walk around the auditorium.

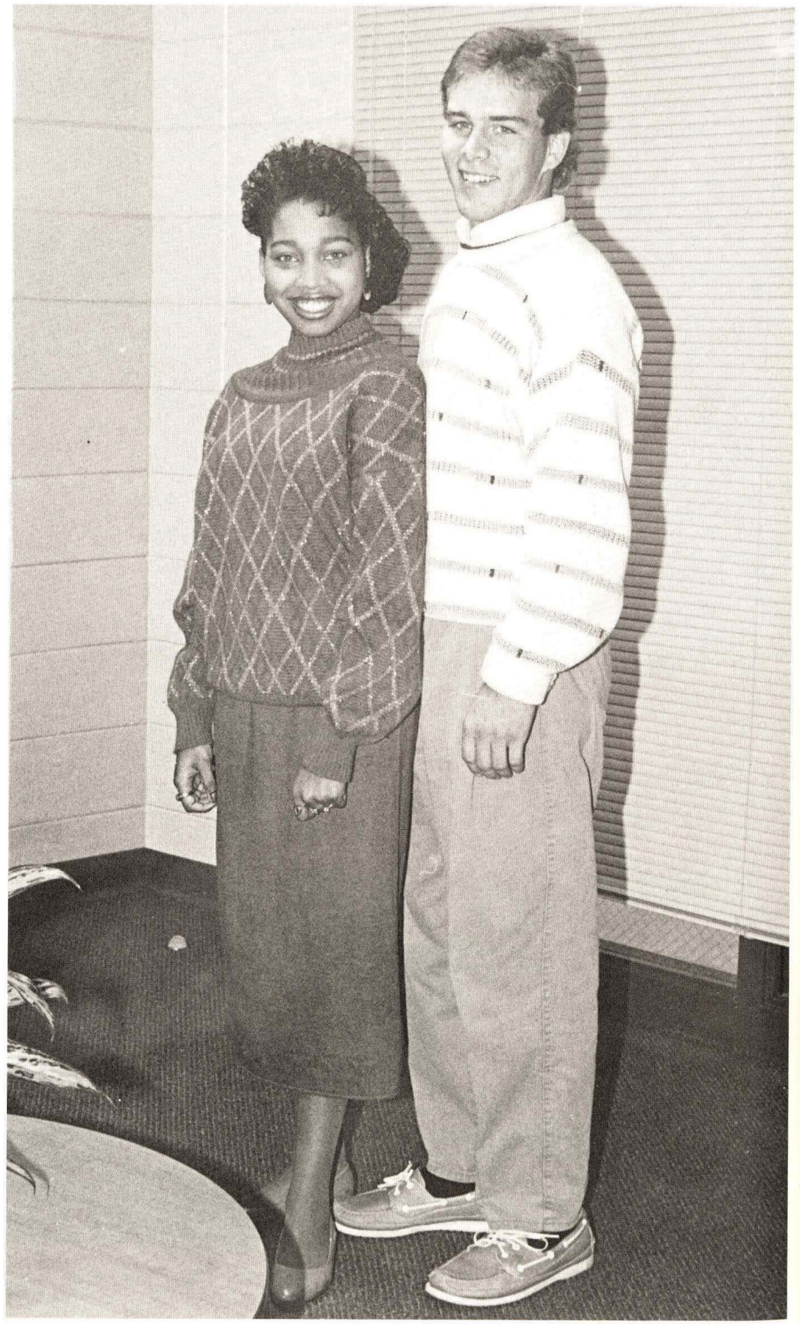
These junior beauty contestants are waiting for the nod of the judges so they can return backstage.

GUESS WHO?

Who's Who positions are receive by popular vote from the student body. The positions of Mr. and Miss MPHS were the highest honors. Announcements of the Who's Who winners were saved until the night of the GROWLER annual staff beauty pageant.

MR. and MISS MPHS

MATT VICE
DONNA LETT



MOST TALENTED

Lisa Holyfield, Andy Frost, Donna Lett

MOST VERSATILE

Faleshia Betts, Jeffrey Welzbacher, Lisa Holyfield

Faleshia Betts, Sam Hawkins, Bonnie Miles

MOST POLITE

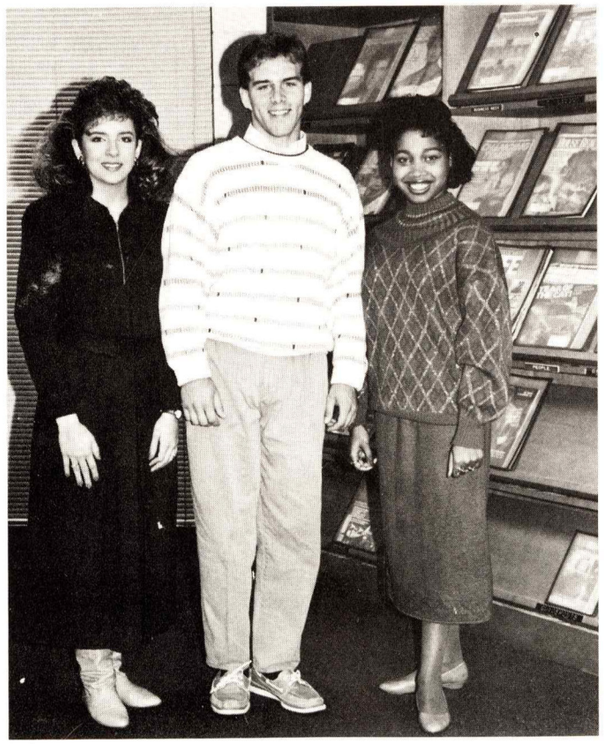
Lisa Holyfield, Faleshia Betts, Eric Kline, Erica Hall

MOST SPIRITED

Jason Green, Bonnie Miles, Lisa Holyfield, LaMonica Paige

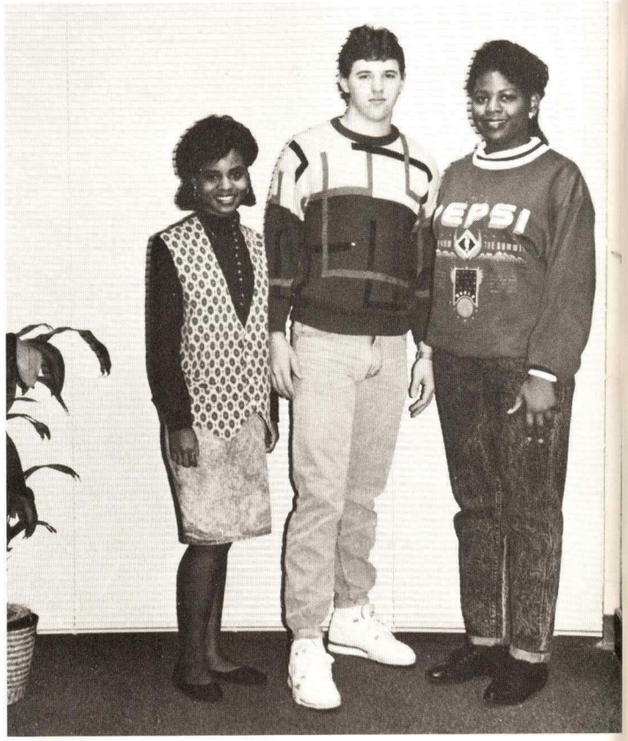
BEST DRESSED

Nancy Alexander, Matt Vice, Donna Lett



BEST PERSONALITY

Faleshia Betts, Daryl Depperschmidt, Stacy Broughton



MOST ATHLETIC

Erica Hall, Tobie Letlow, Julie Watkins

MOST SUCCESSFUL

Lisa Holyfield, Eric Kline, Donna Lett

MOST INTELLECTUAL

Lisa Holyfield, Akeba Wells, Eric Kline

WITTIEST

Jason Green, Felesha Cannon, Daryl Depperschmidt

JR. FAVORITES

Tyesha Walker, Joy Trusler, Melvin Wroten, Delconno McDougle

JOLLIEST JUNIORS

Joy Trusler, Tyesha Walker, Melvin Wroten

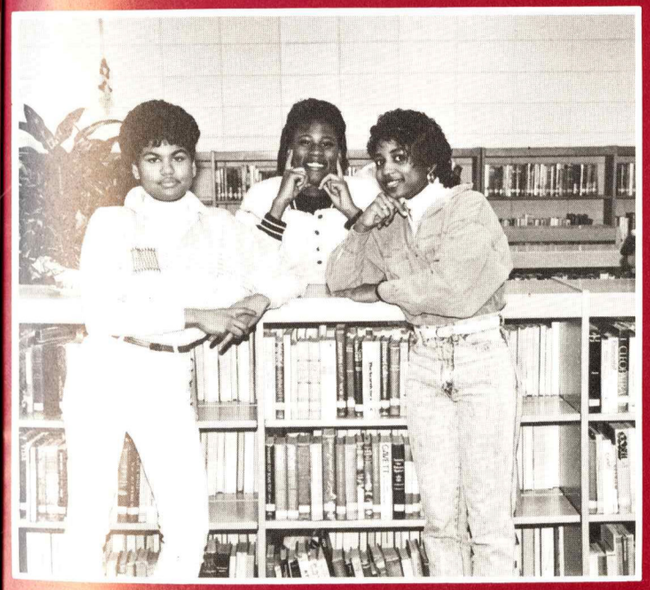
SENIOR FAVORITES

Faleshia Betts, Jason Green, Donna Lett

SOPHOMORE FAVORITES

Linda Keeton, Dikila Jones, Mikki Haynes

SILLY SOPHOMORE



Linda Keeton, Mikki Haynes, Dikila Jones

SOPHISTICATED SENIOR

Andy Frost, Lisa Holyfield, Donna Lett

WHAT'S HOT!

They endured long tryouts, occasional criticism, and of course, the ever frequent stage fright, yet somehow they made it through. The MPHS Modeling Squad set the "trends."

Because the Modeling Squad worked after school many long hours, when the time came to "strut their stuff," the forty member squad was ready to shine. The hardworking group of teenagers managed to present two fashion shows for the school year.

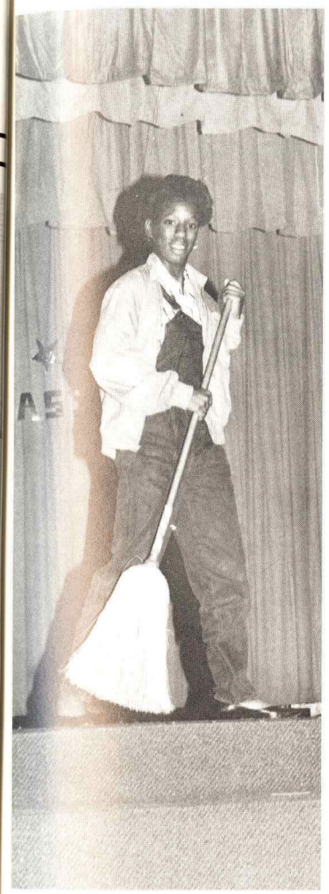
The club, sponsored by Mrs. Deshields, Ms. Shaw, and Ms. Nicholson helped in keeping us all informed as to what was hot!

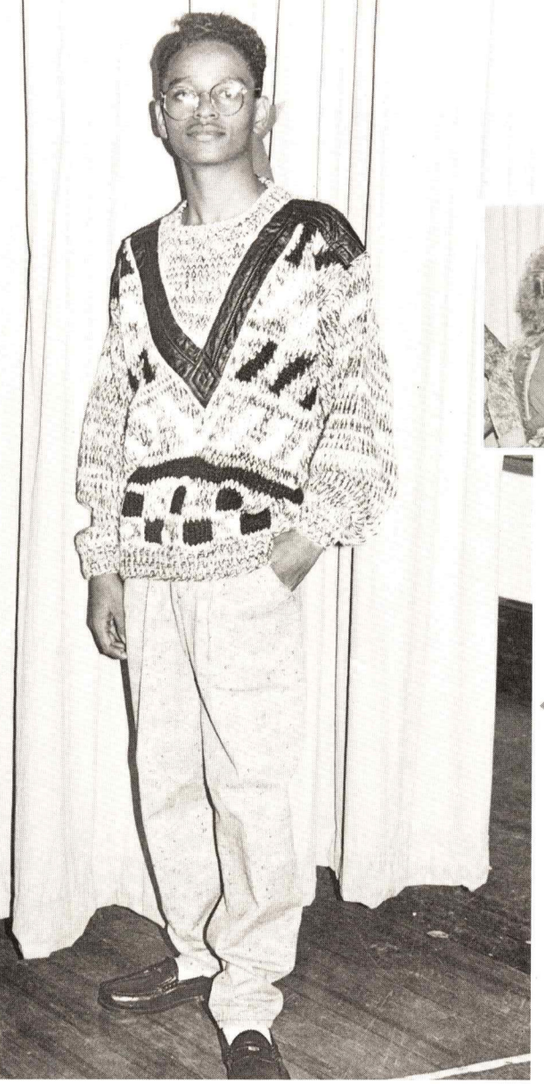
Londa Molden and Kristi Davis wait for the show to begin. It appears they have received some good luck roses.

Sherry Page models sportswear in the Fall Fashion Show. The models have prepared themselves well for the show. Poise and style are evident this night.

Modeling squad members: Arkela Hopkins, Jerri Sims, Jennifer Polk, Melvin Wroten, Angela Liddell, and Nani Hollimon. They are wearing fashions provided by Dicksons, Alfreda's Boutique, Shoe Town, Jeans West, Foxmoor, and J.C. Penney.

For Michelle Booker there was more than dressing to do — the stage had to be swept.





Melvin Wroten has a terrific look for the fashion show. He looks so relaxed.

Jamie Bramlet, Laura Grissom, and Angie Bonnett smile pretty in such nice clothes.

"For me modeling was a good experience and fun."
Geronda Carter

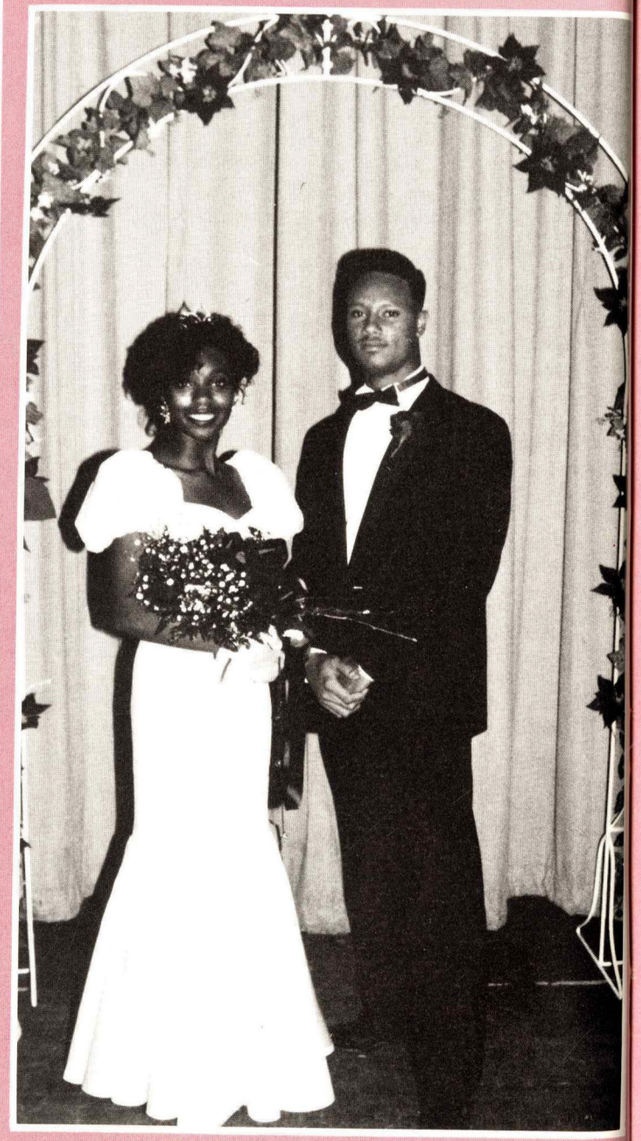
Pam Perryman looks so pretty in her jungle print dress.

Modeling Squad Members: Michelle Booker, Natisha Roberson, LaMonica Paige, Tyesha Walker, Bridgett Padgett, Pam Perryman, Kristi Davis, Londa Molden, Myrondia Eatmon, Kartina Keeton, Faleshia Betts, Lacretia Jackson.

AND THE WINNERS ARE . . .

Senior contestant winners are Matt Vice, Nancy Alexander, Lisa Holyfield and Felisha Hinton. Not pictured: Derek Sabino.

Junior contestant winners are Princess Williams, Joy Trusler, Angela Liddell, Donny Lamey, and Todd Harrell. Not pictured: Melvin Wroten.



MOST BEAUTIFUL
Dwylett Chambers
MOST HANDSOME
Earnest Austin

Sophomore contestant winners are Nicole Vaughan, Regina Daugherty, Danielle Brown, Jeff Brewer and Todd Presley. Not pictured: Eric Austin.

The elected class beaus were judged for most handsome before the pageant began. During the pageant, they escorted the lady contestants on stage.

The girls are all lined up behind the stage and ready to go on stage when their name is called.

Sophomore, Susan Pigott, smiles for the judges.

A GLANCE OF GLAMOUR

Pageant contestants

Sophomores: Shelley Britt, Danielle Brown, Jennifer Browning, Amy Carr, Jacqueline Chatel, Sonya Coleman, Stefanie Cunningham, Regina Daugherty, Amy Dunn, Cayce Goff, Andrea Langley, Alicia Lett, Robyn May, Lashundia Oatis, Toni Pettis, Susan Pigott, Stephanie Rogers, Shelley Tillman, Nicole Vaughan, Laurie Vick, and Cheryl Wilson.

Juniors: Belinda Ballard, Amy Bonnett, Phyllis Braxton, Dwylett Chambers, Angela Chatman, Kathleen Dunn, Amanda Eakes, Michelle Fant, Leigh Fillingame, Angela Liddell, Natasha Roberson, Joy Trusler, Tyesha Walker, Vivecia Ward, and Princess Williams.

Seniors: Nancy Alexander, Tonya Beauchamp, Sheena Brackeen, Jamie Bramlett, Stacy Broughton, Tiffany Chestang, Monica Crear, Deatra Dickey, Shelley Dowdy, Samaradak Downs, Myrondia Eatmon, Kala Gatson, Shiree Gibson, Kelli Graham, Laura Grissom, Kathryn Guess, Holly Hardin, Trina Harris, Felisha Hinton, Nani Hollimon, Ardetha Hollis, Lisa Holyfield, Kristy Keys, Donna Lett, Amy McCowan, Bonnie Miles, Kimberly Nichols, Lamonica Paige, Kelly Simms, Jerri Sims,Lametrice Sims, Stephanie Stork, Bonita Thomas, Cartina Walker, and Mary Williams.

Worth a Second Glance was the theme for the 1988-89 beauty pageant. The theme was appropriate. All of the contestants made heads turn. Mrs. Frankie May was Mistress of Ceremonies. Entertainment was provided by Kathy Guess and the Clare Hans' dancers. The elected beaus were on hand to escort all the lovely ladies. Who's Who announcements were also made. Finally it was time to reveal the names of the winners. Taking top honors were Most Handsome, Earnest Austin amd Most Beautiful, Dwylett Chambers. All the girls were Worth a Second Glance.

Backstage the girls and guys relax and wait their turn to go on stage.

The senior contestants smile and wait patiently while the judges mark their scores.

Contestants, both male and female, clown and smile backstage. It helps them get over backstage jitters.

"It was a real honor to be asked to sing at the pageant. I really enjoy singing for other people."
-Kathryn Guess

Stephanie Rogers makes sure her hair is looking just right prior to the pageant starting time.

Clare Hans' dancers perform during intermission. The beaus really surprised and thrilled the audience when they danced with the girls.

A ROYAL COURT

On February 11, 1989, Moss Point High School held its second annual Basketball Homecoming. The court consisted of sophomores, juniors and seniors elected by their peers to represent them. The game played against the Pensacola Bulldogs was unfortunately lost. The night was revived, however, with the crowning of Donna Lett as the 1989 Homecoming Queen. Donna, a senior, is the daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Donald Lett. She was escorted by Sam Hawkins.

Members of the court wait for the announcement of the 1989 queen.

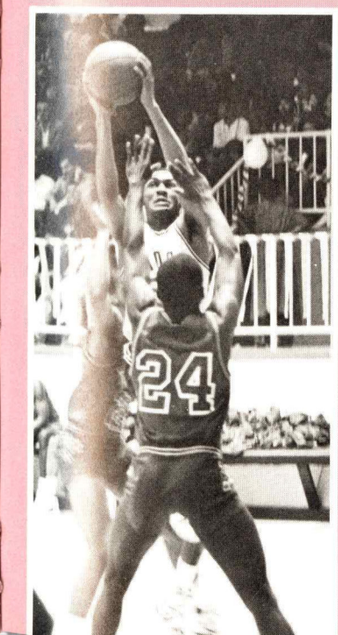
"Being crowned Basketball Homecoming Queen came as quite a surprise to me. Even though it wasn't as exciting as Football Homecoming, it was another competitive challenge. This honor really helped me realize that no matter how many goals I achieved, there are still more out there waiting."

— Donna Lett

Homecoming Court
Sophomores:
Erica Downs/Levi Sims
Amy Dunn/Todd Presley
Juniors:
Rachel Martin/Paul Bogard
Tracy Mason/Cornelius Griffin
Tyesha Walker/Elijah Henry
Seniors:
Erica Hall/Eric Kline
Donna Lett/Sam Hawkins
Lametrice Sims/Charles Harris
Holly Hulbert/Kevin Boler

1988 Queen-Dawn Roddy and Mrs. A. Polk

1989 Homecoming Queen-Donna Lett and escort Sam Hawkins.



Tobie Letlow goes up for a shot during the Homecoming game.

Junior maid Tyesha Walker is escorted by Elijah Henry and Tracy Mason by Cornelius Griffin.

Sophomore and Junior maids enter the court with their escorts.

LOOK AT US NOW!

Lisa Holyfield captured the coveted honor. She was chosen to represent Moss Point in the State Junior Miss Pageant.

America's Junior Miss program is a nationwide scholarship competition for high school senior girls. Twenty-two MPHS seniors participated in this competition. Junior misses were judged in the following areas: Scholastic Achievement-15%, creative and performing arts-20%, and judges interview-35%.

The theme of this year's pageant was A Salute to Mississippi. The music used in the program was by Mississippi song writers. Last year's Jr. Miss, Latonya Viverette was on hand to crown her successor.

Holly Hardin "Enjoys being a girl" as she takes a break from her studies to day dream a little.

Lisa Holyfield captured the judges hearts and took home the top honors. Now it is off to the state pageant.

A Salute To MISSISSIPPI™

Contestants take a breather during a very strenuous practice session.

"It was a great experience to be in Jr. Miss."
Kim Nichols

Each girl is required to present a talent. Holly Hulbert played the flute. Performing arts counted 10 percent toward the total score.

Jr. Miss Winners-1st alternate-Trina Harris, 2nd Alternate-Amy Balduff, 3rd alternate-Kathryn Guess, Spirit of Jr. Miss-Holly Hulbert, Talent-Lametrice Sims.

One of the hardest parts of Jr. Miss is the on-stage question. Amy May pauses and quickly thinks out the best answer.

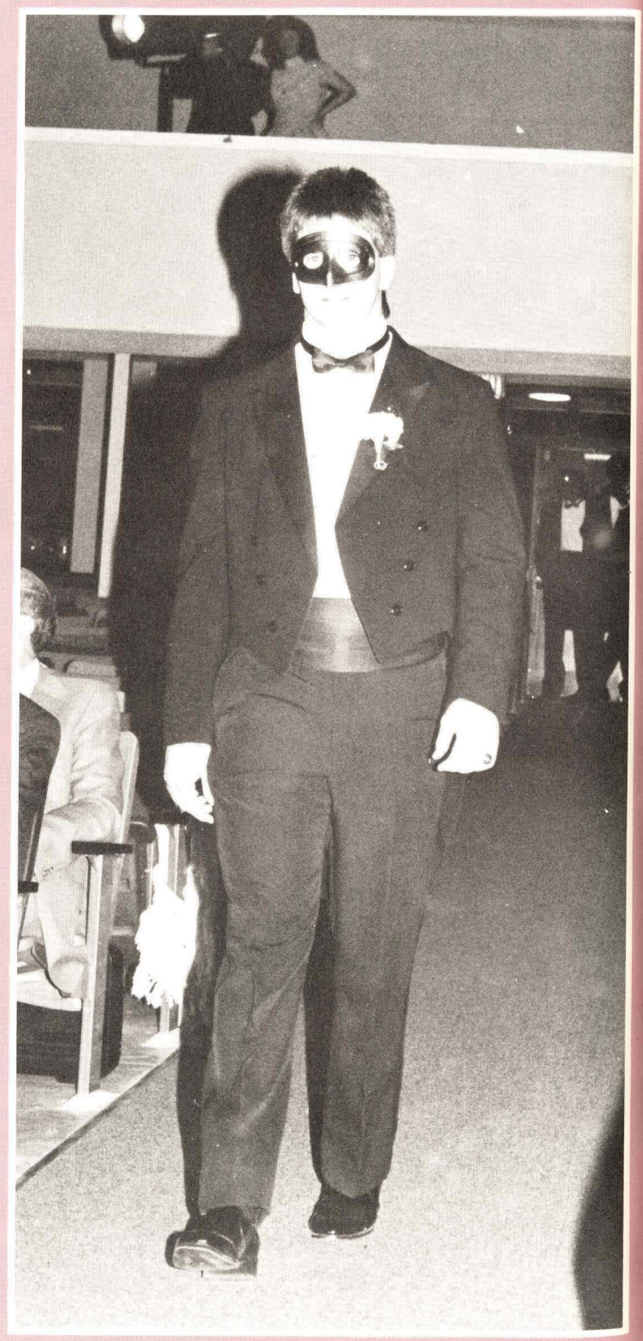
Physical Fitness is the fun part of Jr. Miss. It is a time the girls can really get rowdy. Kick up those heels!!

SOMEWHERE OUT THERE

The Carnival coronation was held in the auditorium on January 27. The theme "Somewhere Out There" was carried out in the colorful decorations. The court consisted of students from all grades selected by faculty to serve as Dukes and Duchesses. Cape and crown bearers were added this year. They were children from the community. This year's King and Queen Tigerette were crowned by assistant principals, Mr. Charles Johnson and Mr. Richard Niles. Selected were Eric Kline and Jan Carter as king and queen.

Junior members: Emmeett Holder, Brandi Parker, Lewis Sims, Natisha Roberson, Dominick Riley, and Tyesha Walker. Crownbearers are David Stricklin and Faith Hurst.

Sophomore members: Jeff Brewer, Jennifer Browning, Hershel Hunter, Chandra Harrell, Andre Jones, and Alicia Lett. Crownbearers are Wilson Pierce and Lakeitha Grace.



Duke, Lewis Sims, makes a very handsome mysterious duke as he walks down the aisle to meet his escort.

Sophomore court members: Jeff Brewer, Jennifer Browning, Hershel Hunter, Chandra Harrell, Andre Jones, and Alicia Lett. Junior court members: Brandi Parker, Emmeett Holder, Natisha Roberson, Lewis Sims, Tyesha Walker, and Dominick Riley. Senior court members: Jason Green, Willie Kennedy, Jennifer Cronier, Jan Carter, Eric Kline, Holly Hardin, Syrone McBeath, and Erica Hall.

Trina Harris provides entertainment for the corwd as she sings "Somewhere Out There."

Duchess Jennifer Browning, dressed in Mardi Gras style, dazzles the crowd as the assistant principal, Charles Johnson, looks on.

"I can't begin to express how honored I was when crowned Carnival Ball Queen. I kept having to pinch myself to make sure I wasn't dreaming. I'm just happy the faculty thought so much of me."
— Jan Carter

MINI MAG

THE TEN MOST WANTED

From Rock to Pop and even country, students at MPHS rate their favorite top ten music albums of the year. A survey was conducted to find out who was hot with the music lovers at MPHS. Read below and find out how your favorite albums rank on the ten most wanted list . . .

1) *Guns & Roses "Appetite for Destruction"*
2) *Anita Baker "Rapture"*
3) *New Edition "Heartbreak"*
4) *Dep Leopard "Hysteria"*
5) *Eazy E "Eazy duz it"*
6) *McHammer "Let's get it Started"*
7) *Amy Grant "Lead me on"*
8) *Poison"Open up & Say Ahh"*
9) *Bon Jovi "New Jersey"*
10) *Guy "Teddy jam"*

Current Slang

Here's the latest scoop on what's in and what's out in slang language.

IN	OUT
1) *Miss me*	1) *Sike*
2) *I can't tell*	2) *Chill out*
3) *Gnarly*	3) *Radical*
4) *Bogus*	4) *Awesome*
5) *Alright*	5) *Totally*
6) *Excellent*	6) *Cold blooded*
7) *Whoa, dude*	7) *Nerd*
8) *Tubuler*	8) *Get real*
9) *Bet*	9) *Killer*
10) *Chill*	10) *Forget you*

HOT SPOTS

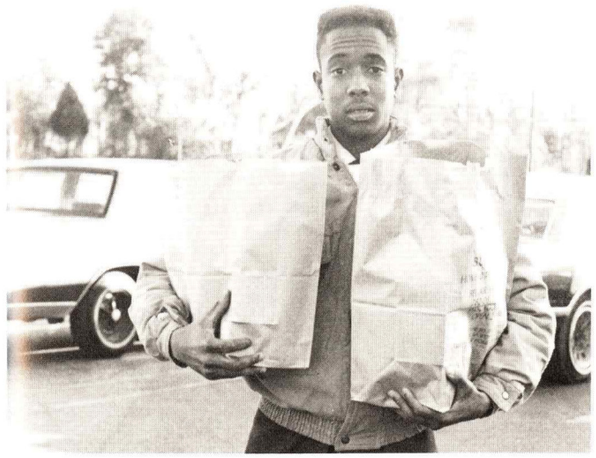
It's weekend again and all the MPHS students head out to their favorite hangouts! Whether it be cruising the strip or grabbing a Big Mac at McD's, the energetic teenagers spent these few treasured days catching up on the latest talk or simply having fun. After surveying the fun-loving students at MPHS, we were able to rate the top ten hot spots.

1) *Market Street*
2) *McDonalds*
3) *Studio 17*
4) *Blue Note*
5) *R & B Club*
6) *Mall*
7) *Movies*
8) *Fiesta*
9) *Parties*
10) *Friends*

Student Jobs

Afternoon activities vary greatly between the students at MPHS, but one particular activity that many have is an after school job. Several students hold part-time jobs to make extra money for dating, shopping, or to save money, etc. . . Even though getting that paycheck to spend is really neat, some face the troubles of keeping up school work. Falling behind in school is one of the major drawbacks of having a job. For some it may be the thought of missing out on fun or going out with friends. Having extra money is great, but students should always consider what comes first.

Raymond Davis earns his extra spending money working at D&G Grocery Store in Moss Piont.



For Stacy Smith, McDonald's is the place to earn extra money. For a friendly, "Welcome to McDonald's May I take your order please?" see Stacy at Moss Point McDonald's!

Worthy Tests

We named them . . . you chose them. We have your survey choice rated from one to five. See how your favorite test type rated!

1. *Multiple choice*
2. *True or False*
3. *Fill-in the Blank*
4. *Oral*
5. *Essay*

Audra Hinton concentrates deeply on her French test.

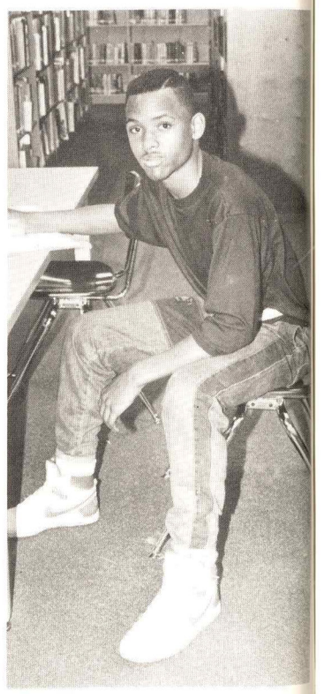
Sean Gasaway pores over a history test.

looks you'll love

Fashions and fads fade in and out throughout the school. We asked the fashion experts at MPHS to give us the latest scoop on what's in and what's out for this outrageous year in fashion. The students responded with the hottest new trends and the styles of yesteryear . . .

IN:
1) Turtle Necks, 2) Sharp Hairstyles, 3) Nike Air, 4) Stonewash clothing, 5)Bugle Boys. OUT: 1) Bell bottoms, 2) Mini skirts, 3) Florescent colors, 4) Tight jeans, 5) Reeboks.

Deanna Hand models her turtlebeck shirt which is in at the moment!



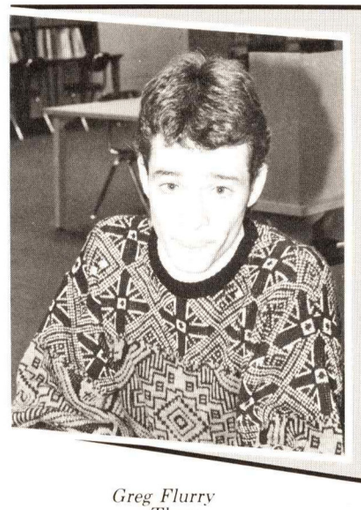
Anthony McMillan is wearing the "in" shoes Air Nikes!

back to the future . . .

was the train of thought these students had to follow when asked what they wanted to be when they were little

1. *Doctor*
2. *Nurse*
3. *Teacher*
4. *Football player*
5. *Fireman*
6. *Policeman*
7. *Lawyer*
8. *Businessman*
9. *Secretary*
10. *Millionaire*

Vergie Williams
Then:
Teacher
Now:
Medical Records Administrator
Age: 16
Junior-MPHS



Greg Flurry
Then:
Airplane pilot
Now:
Drummer for a rock band
Age: 17
Senior-MPHS

Entertainment!

Here they are! Here are your top ten favorite television shows you love to watch after a long, exhausting day at school!!!

1. *Cosby Show*
2. *Ducktales*
3. *Different World*
4. *Alf*
5. *Growing Pains*
6. *Oprah Winfrey*
7. *227*
8. *Win, Lose, or Draw*
9. *Silver Spoons*
10. *Good Times*

Adventure aboard!

When asked where they spend their hard-earned money, the students replied:

1. *Mall*
2. *Movies*
3. *Video Games*
4. *Car Notes*
5. *Bowling Alley*
6. *Bank*
7. *Record Bar*
8. *Restaurants*

The right stuff!

Listed below are the top ten magazines viewed by the students at Moss Point High School.

1. *Seventeen*
2. *Teen*
3. *Time*
4. *Sports Illustrated*
5. *Sassy*
6. *Ebony*
7. *Discover*
8. *People*
9. *Young Miss*
10. *Cosmopolitan*

Drive-a-mania!

On a survey, students were asked to check their method of getting to and from school. The choices were: 1) Drive own vehicle 2) Drive Mom or Dad's vehicle 3) Ride the bus 4) Bumb a ride 5) Other. Check below to see how your method of transportation rates!

1. *Drive your own vehicle*
2. *Bum a ride*
3. *Other*
4. *Ride the bus*
5. *Drive mom or dad's vehicle*

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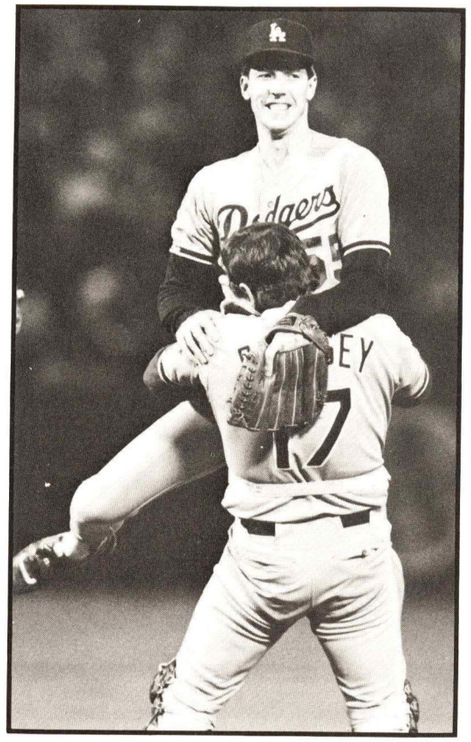
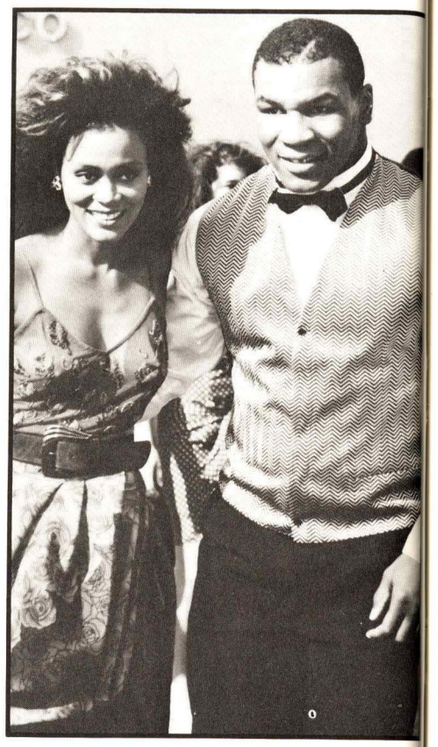
News *Plus* . . .



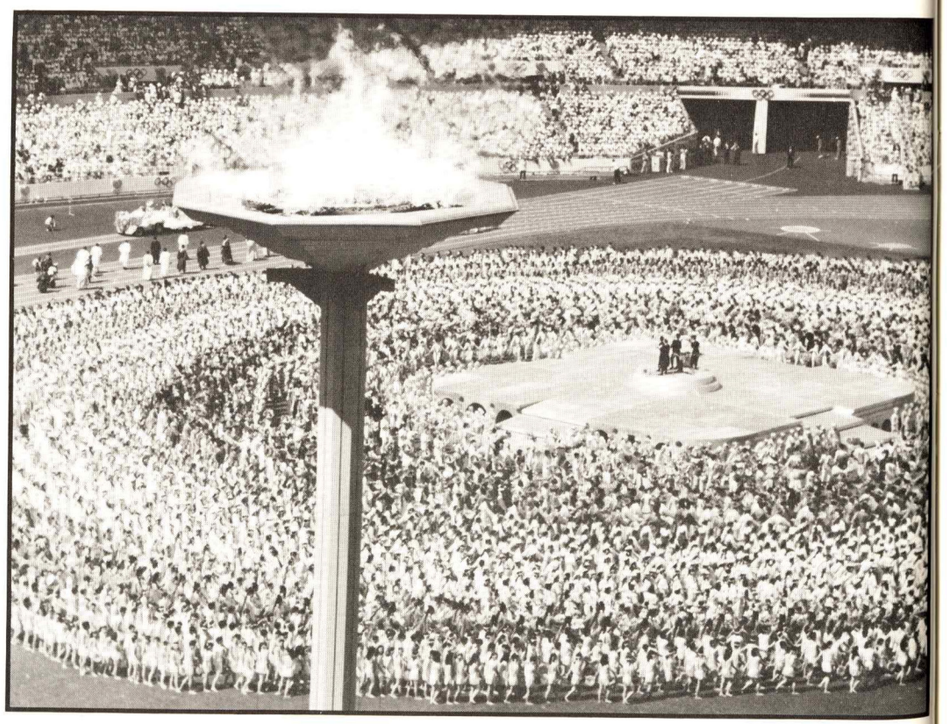
This year in news projected a positive image of victories, elections, successful space shuttle missions, an international effort of good will, and many other exciting events.

Catch the spirit
The Los Angeles Dodgers captured their sixth World Series title in October with a 5-2 victory over the Oakland A's in the fifth game of the series.

Heavyweight boxer Mike Tyson married actress Robin Givens. After a stormy year of marriage beautiful actress Givens filed for a divorce.

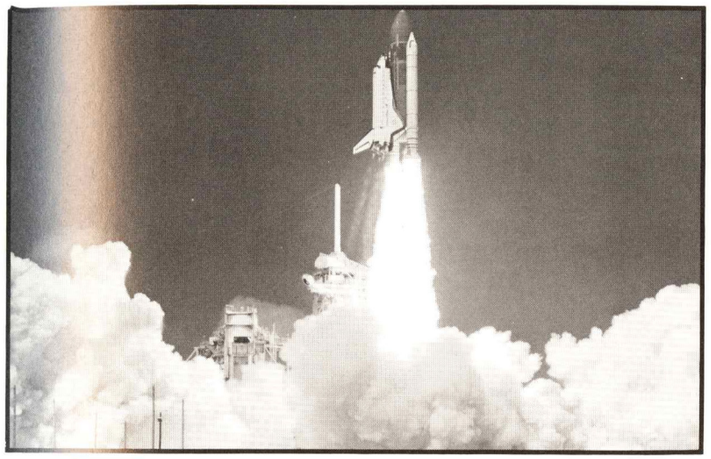


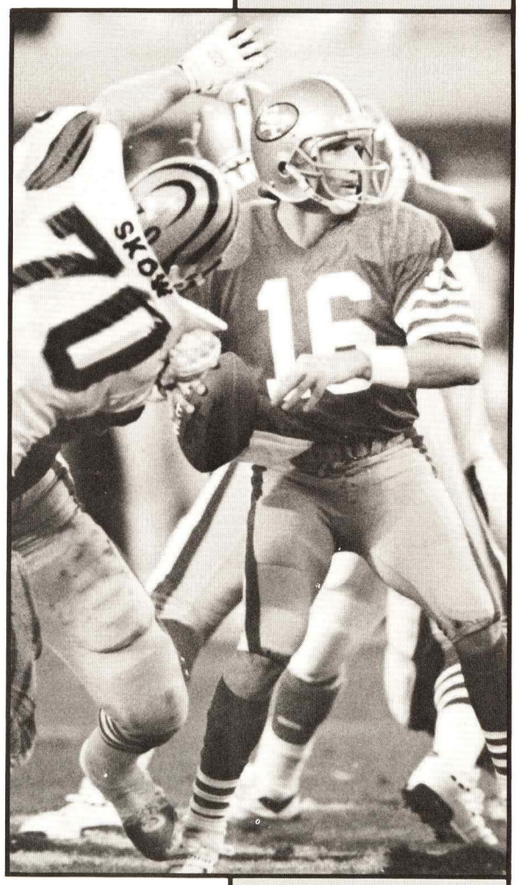
The 1988 Summer Olympics in Seoul, South Korea opened with a dramatic and dazzling ceremony. A colorful, three-hour spectacle mixing ancient Korean rituals with space-age technology kicked off 16 days ***of athletic competition.***

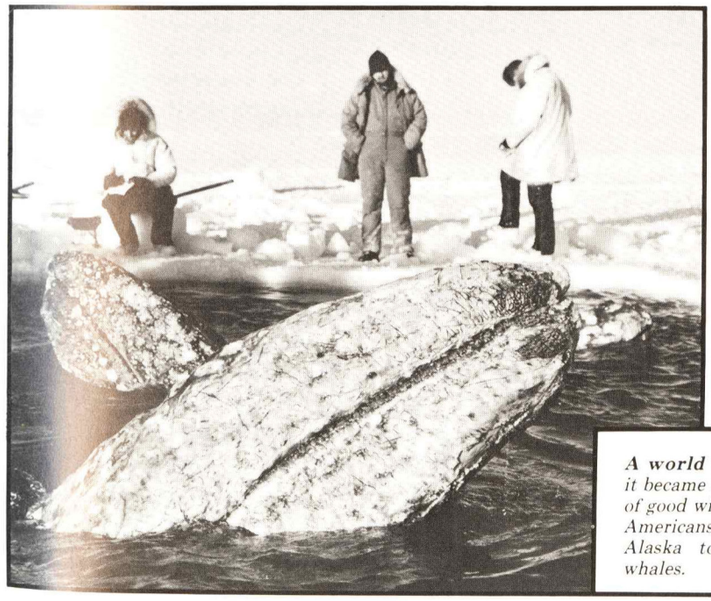


Opening new doors . . .
President George Bush raises his right hand to be faithfully sworn in as the 41st president of the United States. This event took place outside the west front of the Capitol. First Lady Barbara Bush holds the Bible as Chief Justice William Rehnquist performs the swearing in.

The Discovery blasted into orbit in September, the first space flight since the Challenger mission ended tragically 73 seconds after liftoff in January 1988. The Discovery ended its successful mission with a triumphant landing at Edwards Air Force Base in California.







A world of difference . . .
it became an international effort of good will as the Russians and Americans cut through the ice in Alaska to save two trapped whales.

Firing Line . . .
San Francisco's Joe Montana prepares to fire the ball as Cincinnati's Jim Skow closes in on him first quarter of Super Bowl XXIII Jan. 22, 89.

My Favorite Song

My Favorite T.V. Show

My Favorite Movie

My Favorite Band

My Favorite Male Vocalist

My Favorite Female Vocalist

My Favorite Album

My Favorite Class

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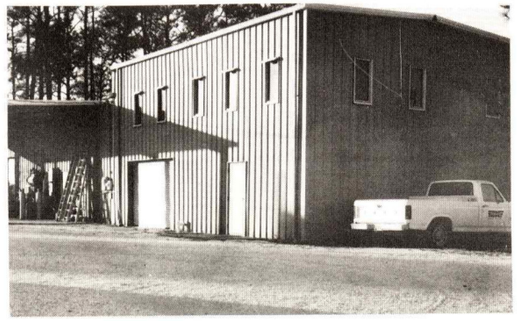

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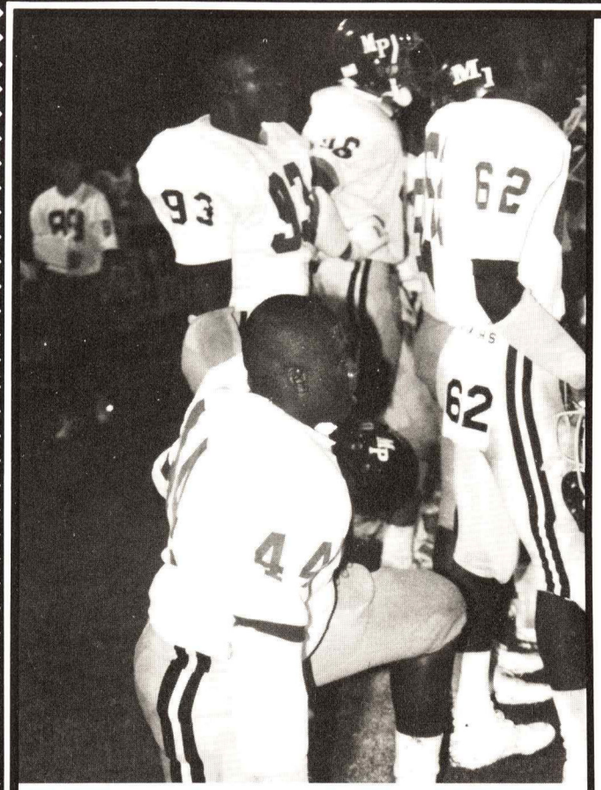

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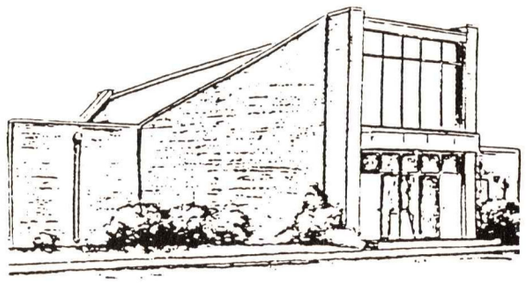

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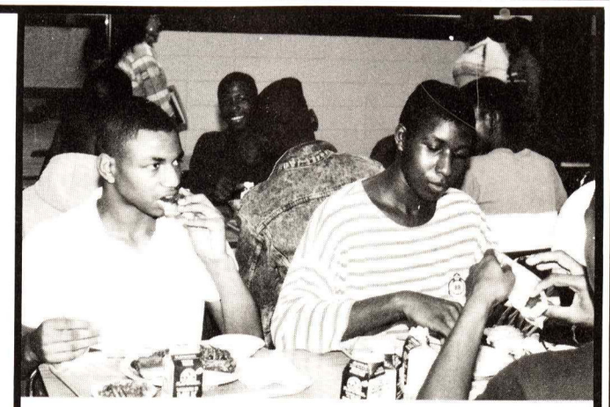

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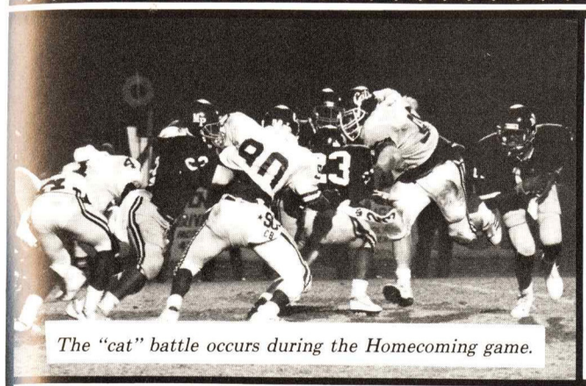

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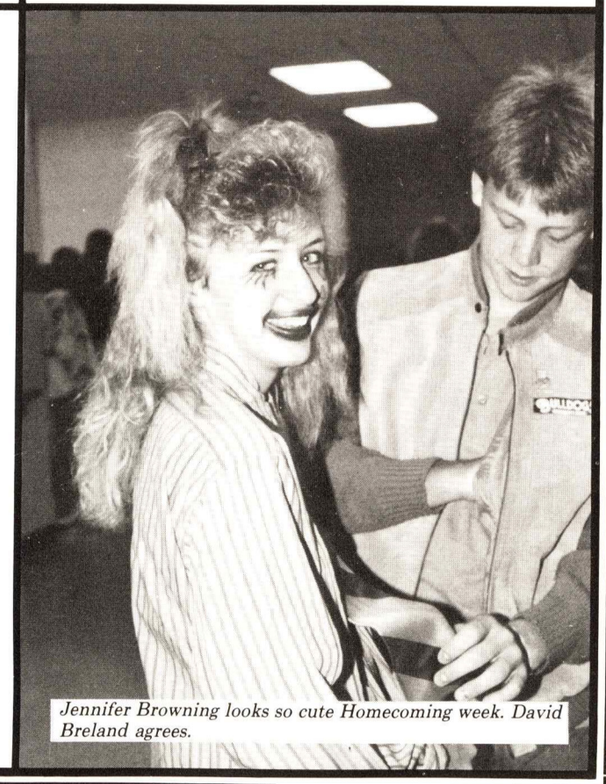

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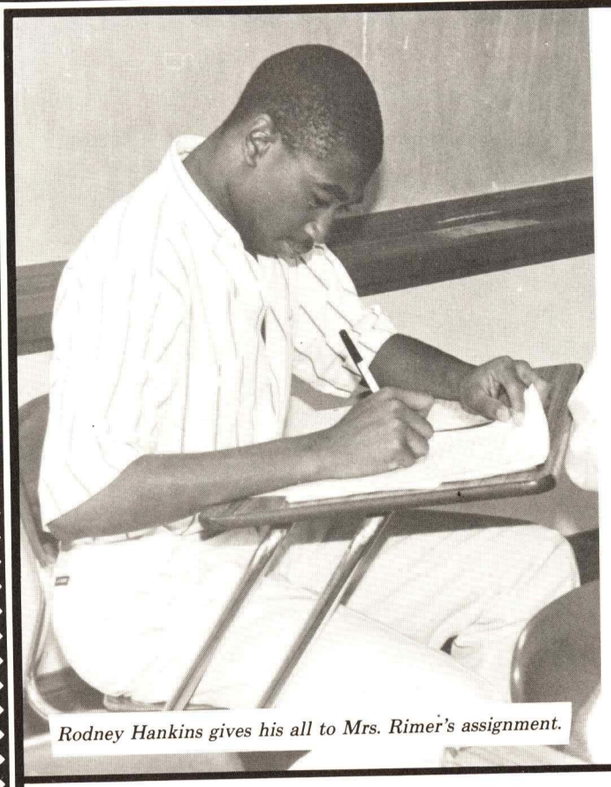

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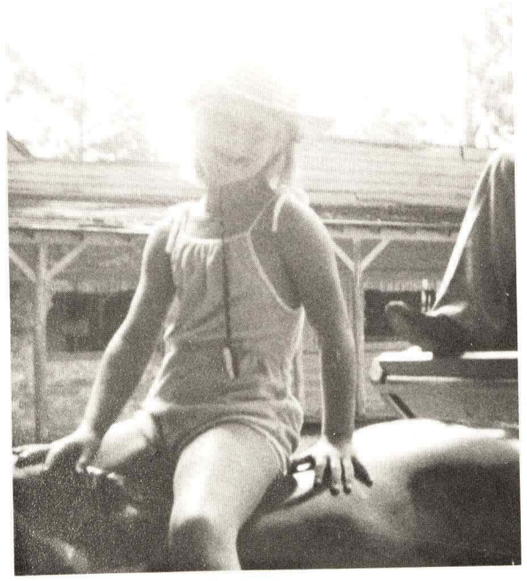

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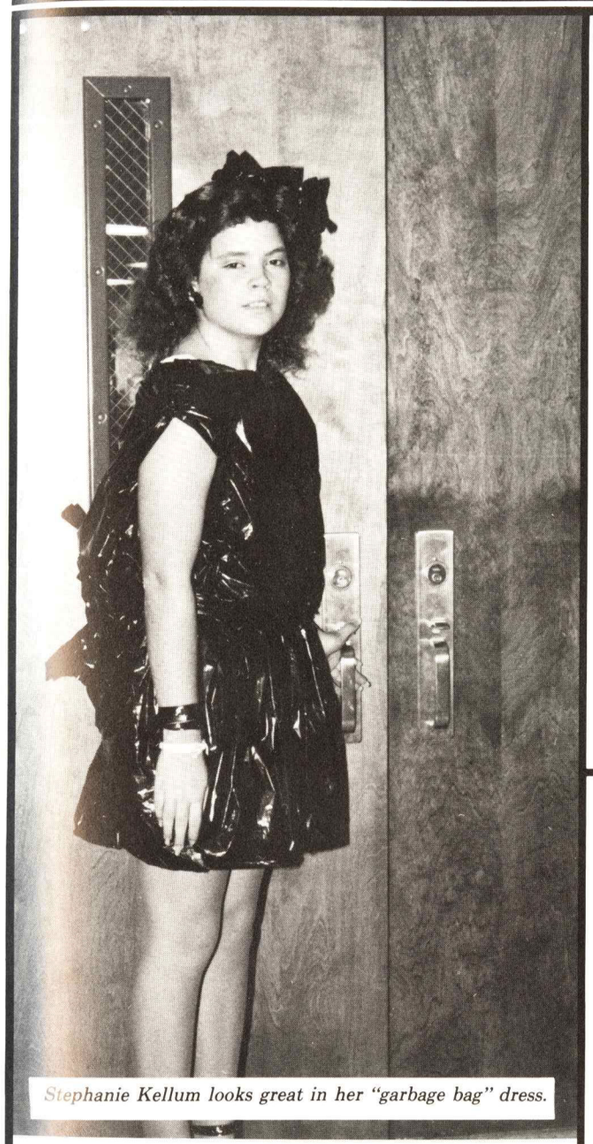

Stephanie Kellum looks great in her "garbage bag" dress.

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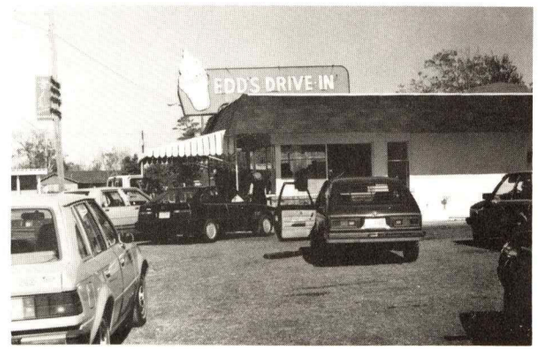

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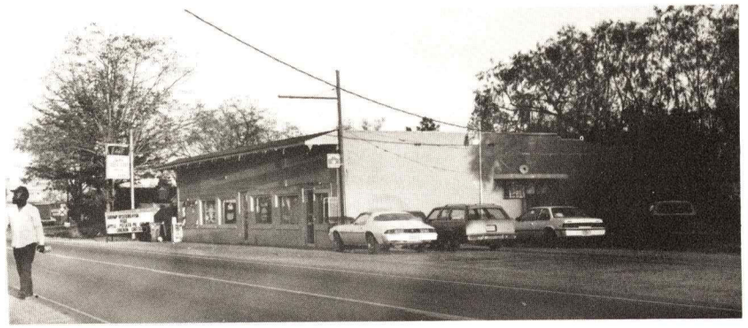

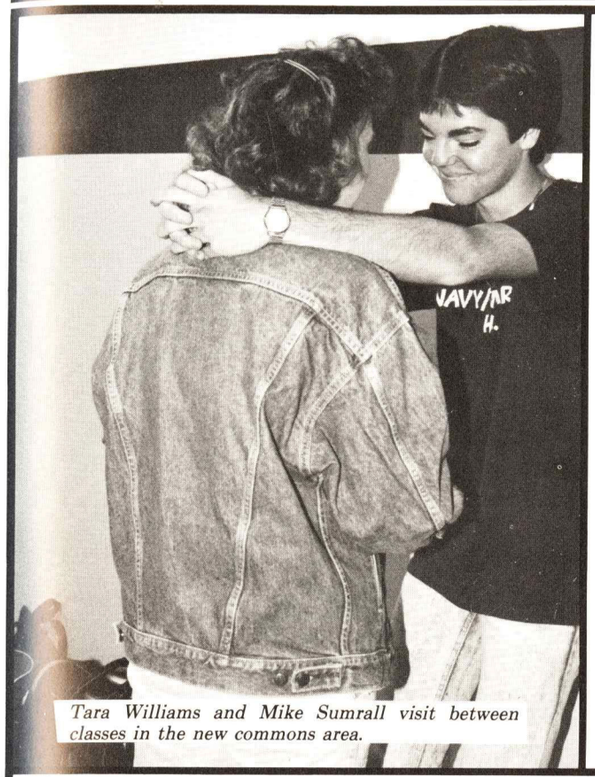

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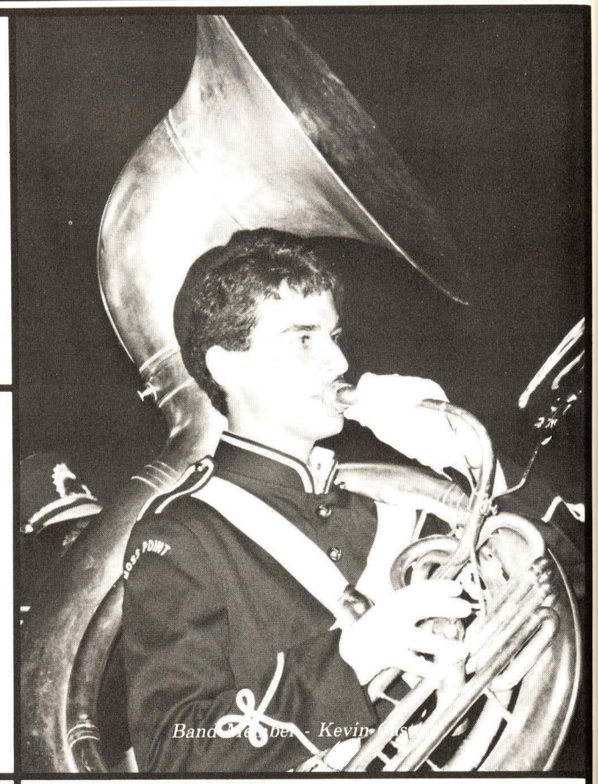

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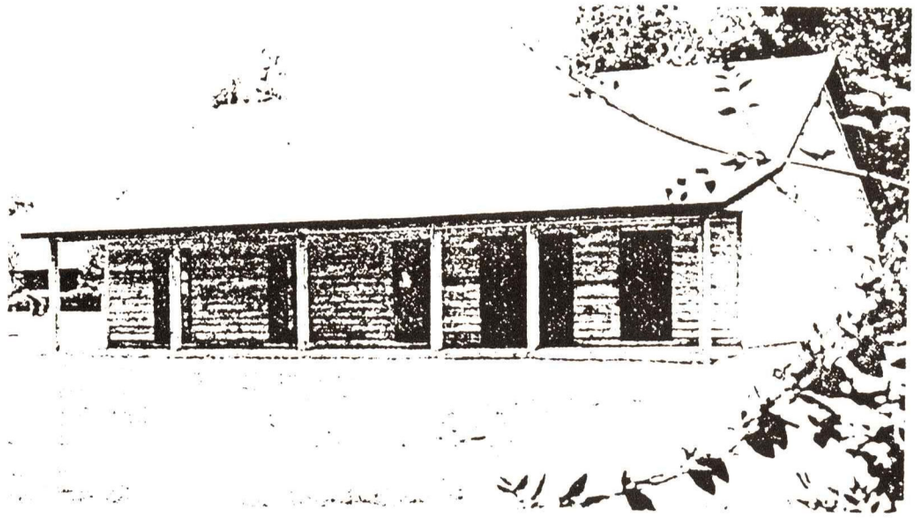

The Jackson County Board of Supervisors marked the 175th anniversary of Jackson County in a very special way during 1987 when it appropriated $50,000 for the construction of this new museum at the Old Spanish Fort in Pascagoula.

The 1,536-square-foot building will house valuable historical artifacts and feature exhibits marking the various periods of Jackson County's history. Space will now be available for more effective displays and tours by students, citizens and tourists.

The original iron gates of the old Jackson County courthouse that stood on Delmas Avenue from 1875 to the 1940's will be placed at the entrance of the ancient roadway that will be restored as an access to the new museum and the historic fort.

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The new building is located southeast of the Old Spanish Fort and was designed in an architectural style compatible with the 265-year old fort, that was in actuality a carpenter's shop built on the plantation of French-Canadian Joseph Simon de la Pointe.

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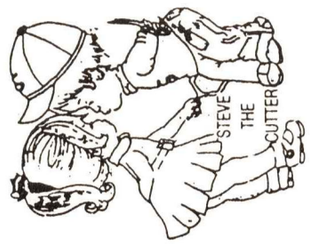

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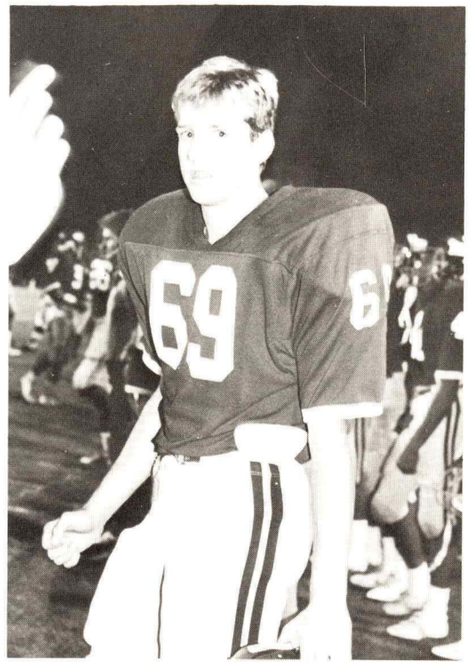

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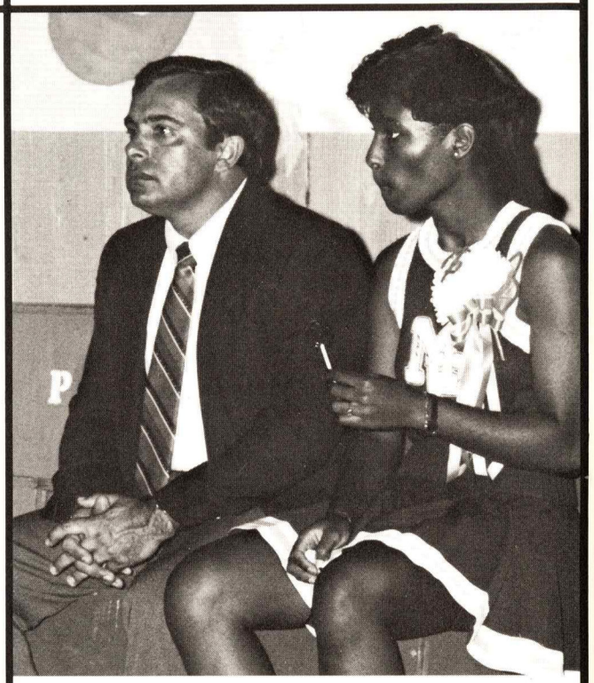

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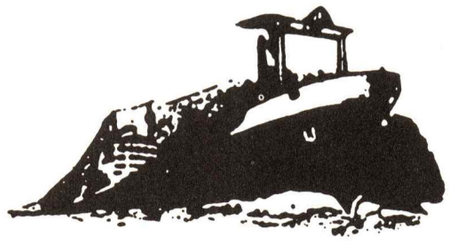

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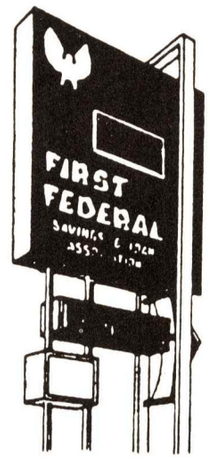

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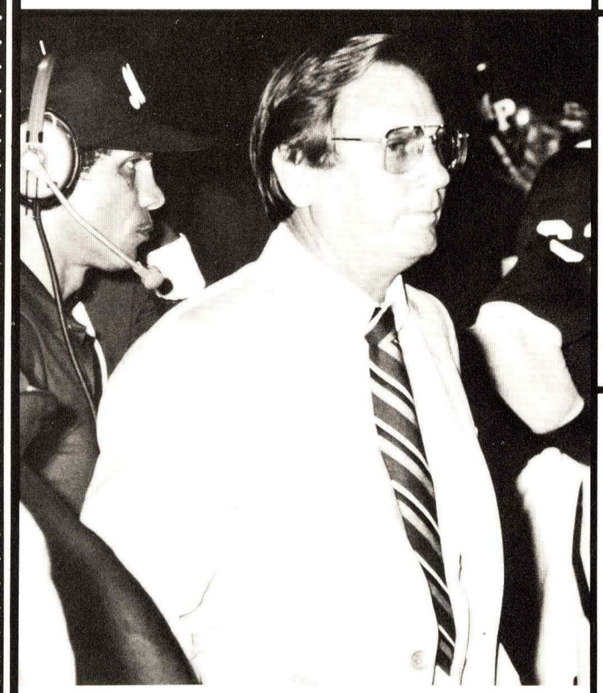

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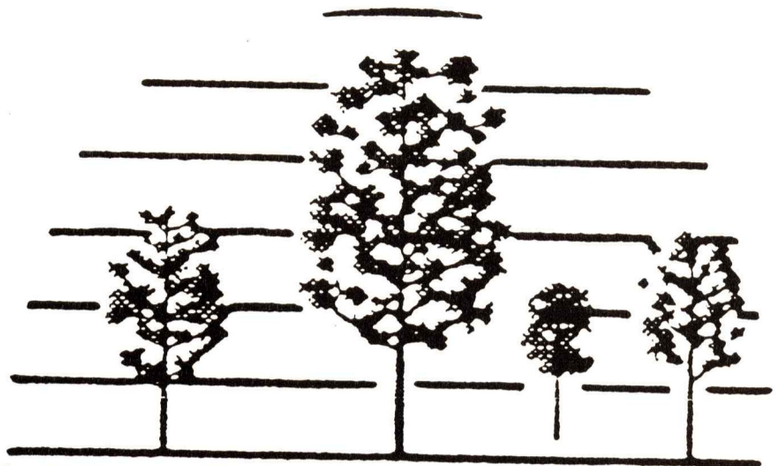

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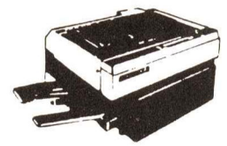

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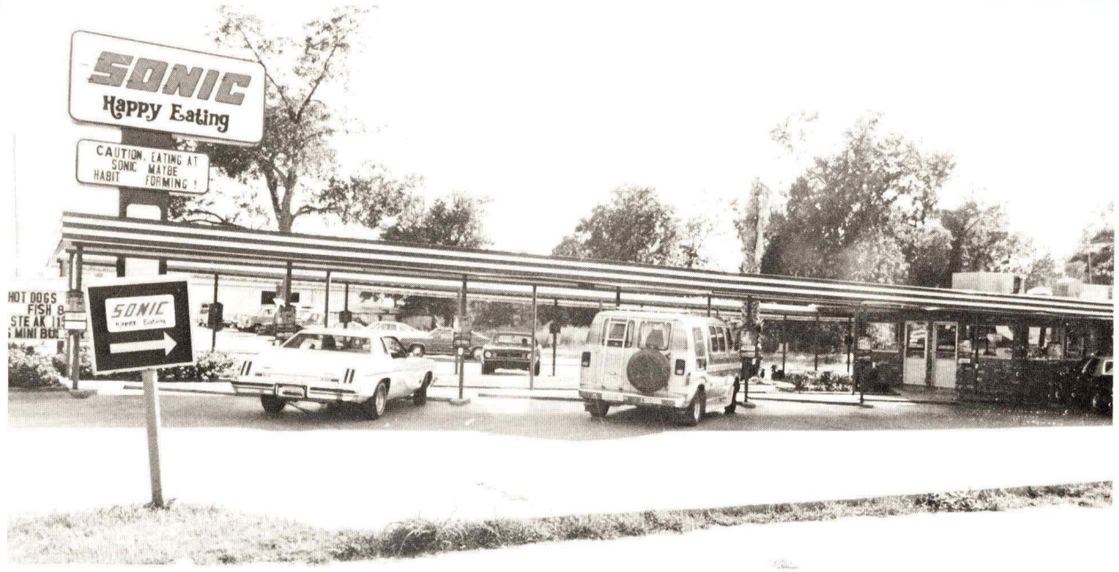

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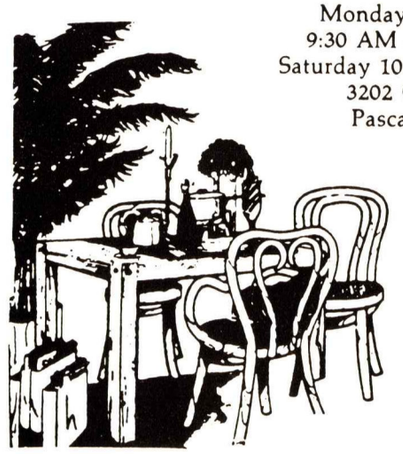

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The $17,000 book was printed on 80 pound glossy paper. The 610 copies were smyth-sewn and the size of the book is 7 3/4" x10½".

The Litho picture laminated stiff cover was designed at the Graduate Supply House yearbook clinic. The design and theme are depicted in three colors; Navy #540, Maroon #194 and Black #395.

The end sheets are sterling silver #420 with Navy #540 ink.

The theme of the yearbook "Worth a Second Glance" was chosen in honor of the Bond Issue work completed at Moss Point High School. The school, after an extensive building and renovation program, was worth a second glance.

All copy in the book is Century Schoolbook Italic. Various type sizes are used. Headlines are in 30 pt. type and sub headlines are in 18 pt. type. Additional special headlines were produced by Action Printing, Pascagoula, MS.

The book contains an 8 page full color section. Blue spot color #285 is used on 8 pages of the opening. Maroon spot color #194 is used on 8 pages of the events section.

The book was sold to the students for $25. This included yearbook, plastic dust cover, and their name engraved on the cover in silver foil #381. Ads, totaling $6,000 were sold by the annual staff.

70% of all photography was shot, developed and printed by the advisors. The other 30% was provided by McEacherns Photography, Mobile and John Welch Photography, Moss Point.

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Editor-Holly Hardin

Message From The Editor

The pages of this yearbook have built many memories, not only for you but also for me. It was a challenge to make a book from scratch that would hopefully please everyone as well as myself. Many hours of hard work were put into this book by the staff and many extra hours by Ms. Richardson and Mrs. Baxter. It would not have been done without them. This was all done to insure that you have a yearbook to remember the "good ole days." As time passes and you bring the yearbook back out, I hope that you will find your high school memories were definitely Worth a Second Glance!

God Bless,
Holly Hardin
Editor

Open House — A $10 Million Celebration

The Moss Point School District held a $10 Million Celebration in the form or an open house and concert. The High School events included refreshments, displays from each department, tours of the "new" Moss Point High School, and a concert by the elementary & Jr. High schools. Special awards and speeches were made by the Board of Trustees. Over 1,000 students, parents, community leaders, friends, and teachers attended. It was an opportunity for the Moss Point School District to say "THANK YOU" to a community that gives it's full support to kids and education!

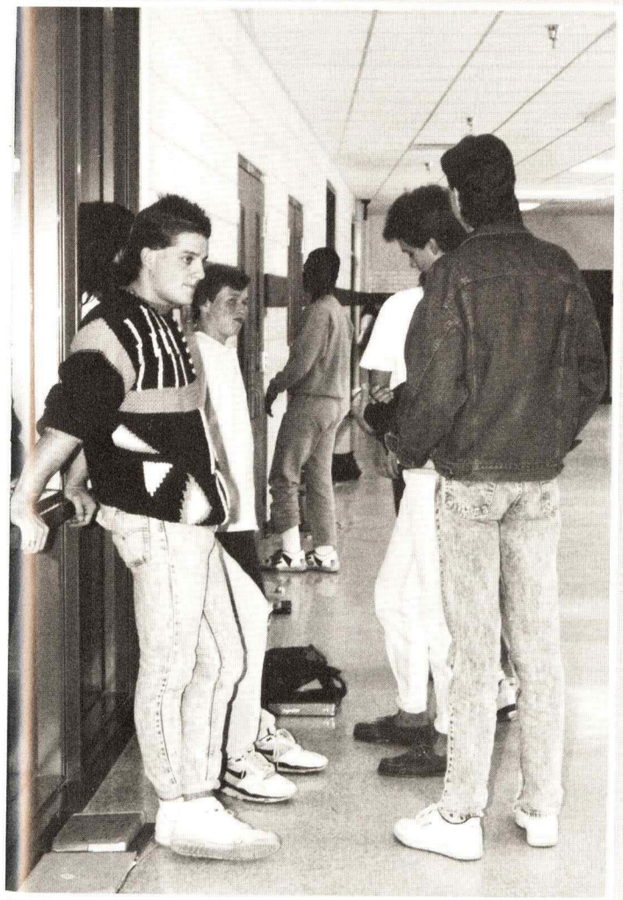
Choirs from all of the elementary schools entertain the audience during open house.

Mrs. Polk receives a special award from board president Ed Corley.

Donny Lamey and Lisa Holyfield welcome guests to the $10 million celebration.

The $10 million celebration started early when students organized a parade to school.

New science classrooms like Mrs. Murrays were toured during the open house.



Above: Students enjoy meals in the spacious new cafeteria. New kitchen equipment allowed for more menu selections. Air conditioning was icing on the cake!

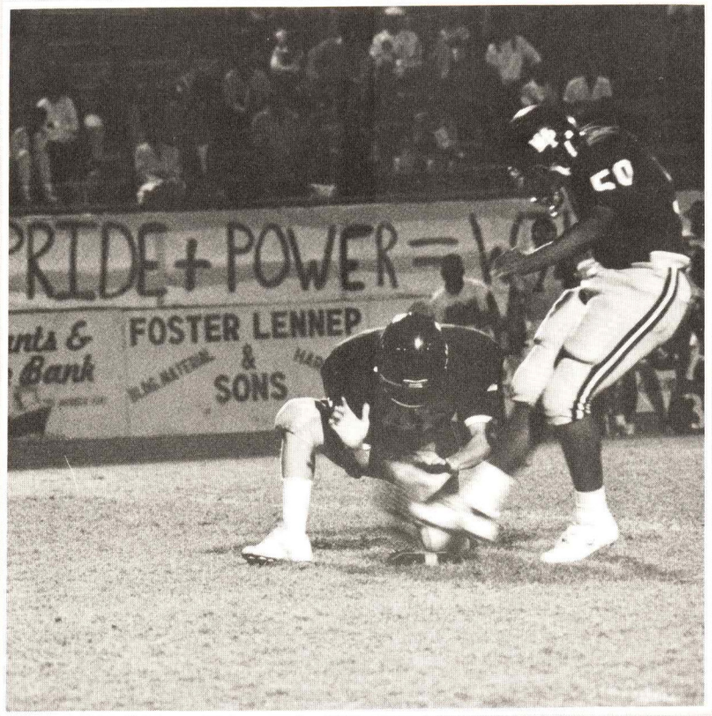
The new enclosed commons area is enjoyed by the students at all times. During open house, displays were set up in this spacious area. We really had a reason to CELEBRATE!!

Was It . . .

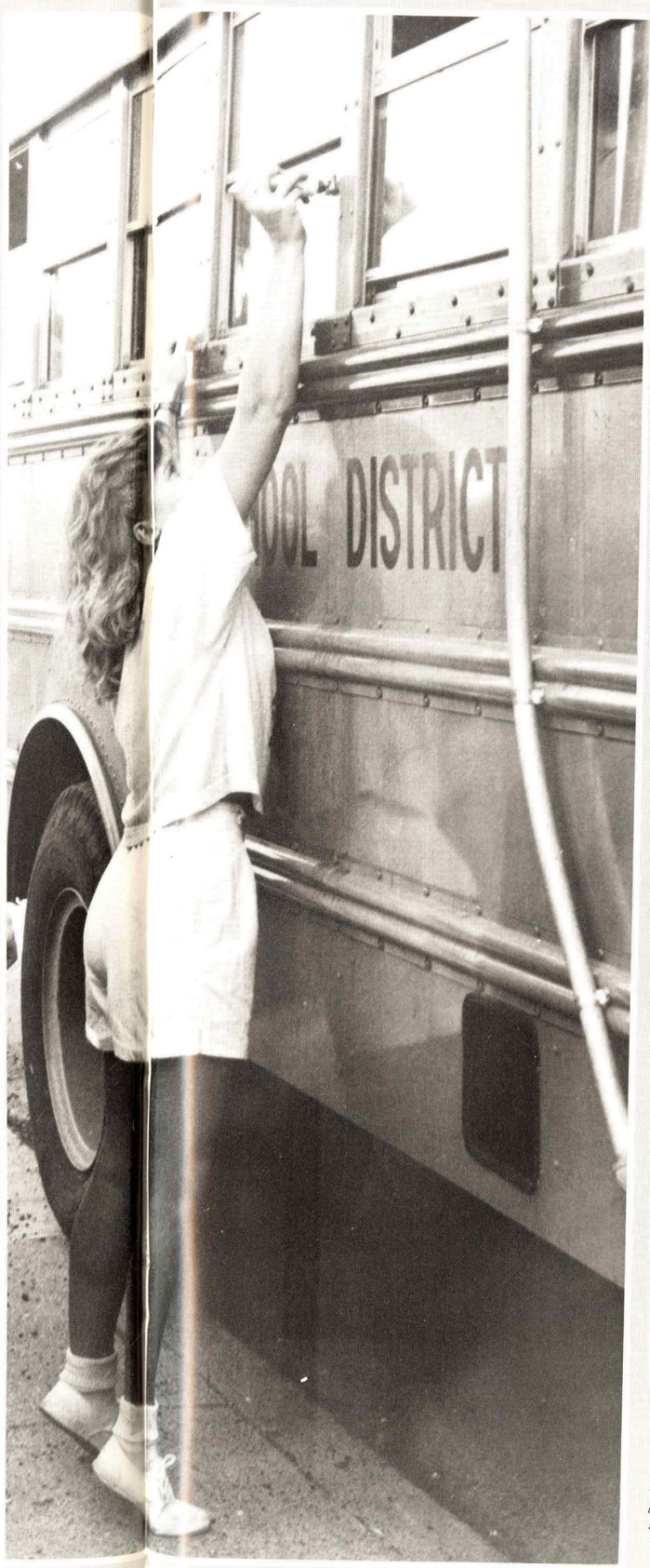
Another successful year at Moss Point High School — indeed it was worth it!

The 1988-89 educational year started off on a train rolling upward with no stop in sight. With the extra classroom space, air-conditioning, new library and larger lunchroom, students from all grades leaped right into the school year with their best foot forward.

From Homecoming festivities to the 1989 science fair, classmates eagerly participated in all events. A sense of pride in our new school was shared by most as this definitely unrolled into a worthy year.



In full gear . . . Marcus Jackson puts his best foot forward as he attempts to kick a field goal.

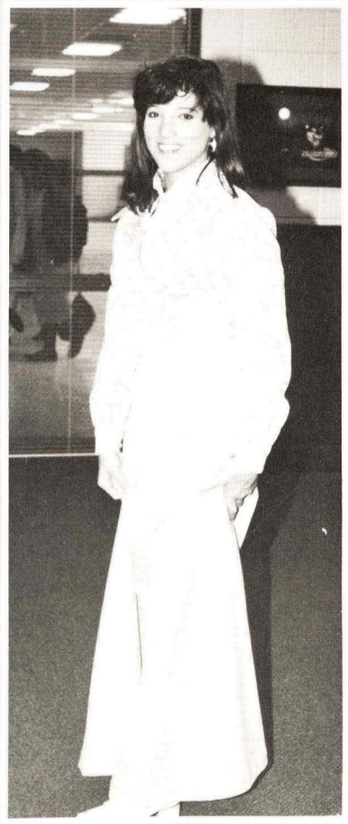


The 1988 Carnival Ball Queen, Jan Carter and King, Eric Kline are presented. Our Mardi Gras Royalty accept their crowns and capes from Coach Niles and Mr. Johnson.

The starting of something BIG . . . Seniors order their invitation packages for that final high school event.

Tiger, Marcus Sipp, searches for a team mate when the opposition gets too close.

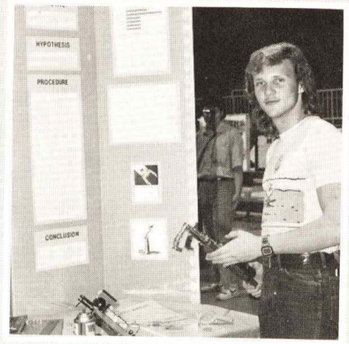
Tiger team members reach for the stars as they leap for a 2 pointer.



New outlook . . . Angie Bonnett doesn't really dress like this; she is just showing her spirit on 70's day.

Senior Kristi Keys prepares to take her walk on stage during the MPHS beauty pageant.

Sophomore homecoming maid, Amy Dunn, escorted by Michael Flechas, accepts flowers from the flower girls.



Scott Jensen wins overall at the school Science Fair.

The look of champions . . . Michelle Fant decorates the bus for the lady Tigers as they depart to claim the softball state title.

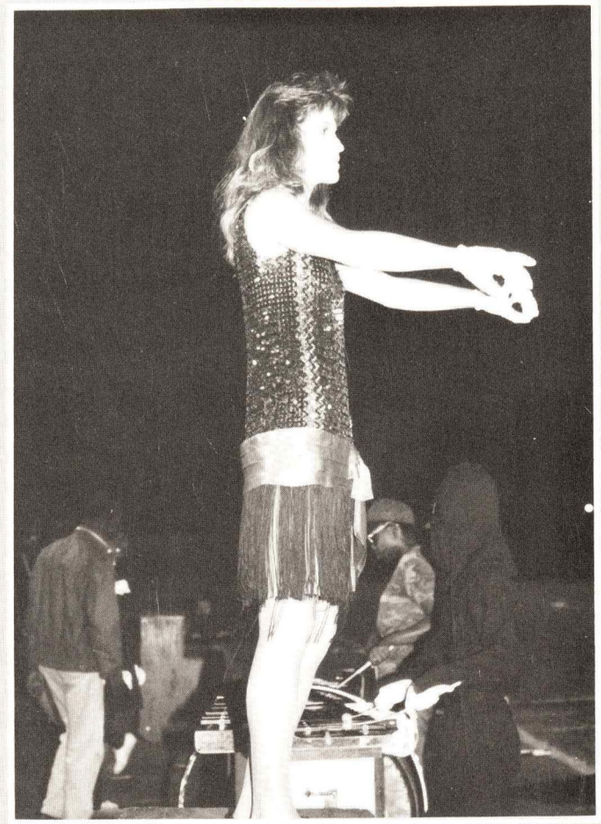
Worth It?

One Last Glance

As we glanced back, we took into consideration all the hard work, determination, and effort put forth into making this school what it has become and what is still yet to be. In order to move forward, we have to look back and learn. After all, wasn't it worth a second glance.

Funny Faces ... Tracy Thornton "clowns" around during a spirited Homecoming week.

Candace Slaughter, in her Halloween costume, leads the MPHS half-time band performance.



Coach Zelenka and his homeroom students share a good laugh before school begins.

S. Dossett presents E. Kline and G. Dale with a band award from McDonalds.

DECCA WINNERS: Front L-R-Glenna Brown, Monica Hearndon, Nicole Hurd, Beverly Brown, Monica Crear, Gina Hawthorn, Mrs. Street, Back L-R-Eric Blackmon, Jason Green, Jerri Sims, Tracy Freeman, Stacey Broughton.

To: B.R.
You are a very thoughtful, beautiful-on the outside and on the inside-wonderful lady. It's been a wonderful time we've shared on the past Monday nights and on the Yearbook banquet. I look forward to sharing more years with you. May God Bless. Keep the Faith.
Yours truly,
Marcina Bergo
c/o '90

Ms. Richardson, now the time has come for me, your favorite "Library Aide", to say Good-bye. I will really miss you.

Love ya,
Karyn Cannon

P.S. I enjoyed WORKING IN THE NEW LIBRARY.

Ms. Richardson,

I want to thank you for putting up with me and my silliness this year. I'm glad you & Ms. Baxter decided to stay on for this year. I always had fun and the memories will stay with me forever. You're a great sponsor, and the staff was lucky to have you. Have a great summer. I wish you the best.

Love
Chandra

Ms. Richardson, I'm so glad I was in Annual Staff this year. Thanks for putting up with me, I don't know how you and Mrs. Baxter did it. Thank you for also being my friend when I was down and depressed. I'll come back and visit ya'll next year. Good luck next year will Annual Staff. God Bless.

Love,
Holly A. Hulbert

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